





# **Annual Report**

**1968**

**TOWN OF WILMINGTON**  
**Massachusetts**

## In Memoriam

John J. Fullerton, Jr., U.S.A.

*(Vietnam – Jan 31, 1968)*

Robert M. Parent, U.S.A.

*(Vietnam – July 22, 1968)*

Richard M. Welch, U.S.A.

*(Vietnam – Sept. 13, 1968)*

Willard H. Hall

William S. Wagstaff

Joseph H. Woods, Sr.

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TOWN OF WILMINGTON  
MASSACHUSETTS  

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the People of Wilmington:

The Board of Selectmen are pleased to submit to you the annual report for 1968. This report contains in some detail the activities of each of our town departments. We hope you will read this report carefully as it contains much information on the operations of the town.

Wilmington is still a fast growing community and the demand for town services and School Department needs are ever growing. We are fortunate that our industrial expansion is continuing to help offset the rising taxes which these increasing services demand.

However, Wilmington, like other Massachusetts communities, is entering a critical tax phase. It appears that the Commonwealth is insensitive to the tax burden on the homeowners, and, instead of providing assistance, will add to this burden by decreasing the amount of monies returned to Wilmington for tax relief.

One member of the Board, Charles Black, for the first time in 33 years, has announced he will retire as selectman. Mr. Black has helped guide the town in its growth from a small rural town with a selectmen form of government to a metropolitan town of 17,000 with a town manager form of government. His hours of devoted service to our welfare are appreciated by all of us. As a small token of this appreciation, we dedicate this town report to him.

Respectfully submitted,

George W. Boylen, Jr., Chairman  
Wavie M. Drew  
Charles H. Black  
James R. Miceli  
James F. Banda



## TOWN OF WILMINGTON

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OFFICE OF THE  
TOWN MANAGER

AREA CODE 617  
658-3311

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Wilmington:

Our Town, located in the most populated county in the United States, is experiencing growing pains. The need for tax dollars to support the various municipal and metropolitan services will have a considerable impact during 1969. The Selectmen and Town Manager are facing a challenge in their respective duties to secure a dollar's worth of public service for every tax dollar spent. Increasingly, we are faced with the rising cost impact from other government units; such as, our cost for the County Tax, County Hospital, State Recreation Areas, Metropolitan Sewerage, Mass. Bay Transportation Authority, and Metropolitan Area Planning Council. The added cost of the Welfare Medicaid Program will be reflected locally in more property tax dollars.

The task, which lies ahead for each level of government in Massachusetts, is the judicious application of scientific, technical and professional know-how to cope with the true needs for community and area services. I think the handwriting is on the wall for more economy in our government, but the Great and General Court will find it necessary to permit local decisions on tax rates to be made locally before this issue will be resolved. The Wilmington taxpayer, in reality, controls less than thirty percent of his tax dollar. Reform by way of implementation of home rule, and a local option merit system are badly needed along with other mechanism for modernizing local government.

The progress which has been made in Wilmington is due to the leadership provided by the Board of Selectmen, and the cooperation of all town employees. We recognize also the many citizens who accept appointments on committees, boards and commissions for volunteering their time and talent for the advantage of our way of life and to preserve our system of local government.

The Town of Wilmington will benefit most of all by your presence at Town Meeting. Please plan to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

Sterling C. Morris  
Town Manager

DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS - January 1, 1969

		<u>Term Expires</u>
<u>BOARD OF SELECTMEN</u>	George W. Boylen, Jr., Chairman	1970
	James F. Banda	1971
	Charles H. Black	1969
	Wavie M. Drew	1971
	James R. Miceli	1969
<u>TOWN MANAGER</u>	Sterling C. Morris	
<u>MODERATOR</u>	Simon Cutter	Annually
<u>SCHOOL COMMITTEE</u>	Arnold F. Lanni, Chairman	1969
	William J. Fay, Jr., Vice Chairman	1970
	Diana C. Imbimbo, Secretary	1970
	John Brooks	1971
	Richard E. Keane	1969
	William J. McNamara	1971
<u>SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS</u>	Harold S. Shea	
<u>FINANCE COMMITTEE</u>	Richard V. Barry, Chairman	1970
	Bruce MacDonald, Vice Chairman	1971
	Rodney E. Laughton, Secretary	1970
	Milton L. Bradford, Jr.	1969
	Joseph F. Courtney	1969
	Charles F. Mather	1970
	Jeanne C. Pedersen	1969
	Harry T. Stewart, Jr.	1971
	James D. Tighe	1971

BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS - January 1, 1969

<u>EAL, BOARD OF</u>		<u>LIBRARY TRUSTEES</u>	
hard D. Howlett, Chairman	1969	Carlo E. Gubellini, Chairman	1971
nk F. Santo, Secretary	1970	Albert J. Blackburn, Jr., Secretary	1970
est W. Jamison, Member	1971	Philip B. Buzzell	1969
ert E. Jennings, Associate	1969	Cornelius F. Joyce	1970
rge G. Robertie	1969	Elizabeth N. Neilson	1969
ard T. Welch	1969	Evelyn M. Norton	1971
<u>ESSORS, BOARD OF</u>		<u>PARK &amp; RECREATION COMMISSION</u>	
hony E. Krzeminski, Principal		Joseph H. Woods, Jr., Chairman	1970
P. McClanahan		Carl A. Backman	1971
ve M. Sheldon		Maybelle A. Bliss	1969
		Americo Catalano	1971
		Charlotte Stewart	1970
<u>TER LECTURE FUND COMMITTEE</u>		<u>PERMANENT BUILDING COMMITTEE</u>	
elon C. Slater, Chairman	1970	Robert B. Michelson, Chairman	1971
gorie M. Emery, Secretary	1970	Raymond G. McClure, Secretary	1970
en P. Hayward	1969	Lionel M. Baldwin	1969
queline C. Platt	1970	John M. Callan	1969
red E. Neilson	1971	William R. Harrison	1970
<u>ETERY COMMISSIONERS</u>		<u>PLANNING BOARD</u>	
liam F. Cavanaugh, Chairman	1970	Madelyn A. McKie, Chairman	1970
lis C. Lyford	1969	William J. Hanlon, Secretary	1971
mas H. McMahon	1971	A. Daniel Gillis	1972
		Walter L. Hale, Jr.	1972
		William G. Hooper, Jr.	1969
<u>SERVATION COMMISSION</u>		<u>REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY</u>	
thia B. Williams, Chairman	1970	Joseph J. Sottile, Chairman	1969
tie-Jane Evans, Secretary	1971	Raymond A. McNarmara, Vice Chairman	1971
istian G. Bachman	1971	Robert F. Leahy, Secretary	1973
nello F. Colombo	1971	Rene J. LaRivee, Treasurer	1972
ert G. Gamlin	1971	John R. Evans (State member) Asst. Treas.	1969
lyn M. Sheerin	1970		
ur W. Bureau	1970		
<u>CTIONS OFFICERS</u>		<u>REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL</u>	
old E. Melzar, Warden	Annually	<u>SCHOOL COMMITTEE</u>	
iley Webber, Deputy Warden	"	Richard E. Keane	1971
rence E. Borofsky, Clerk	"	Frank H. McLean	1970
en R. Casey, Dep. Clerk	"		
ired A. Dolan, Inspector	"	<u>REGISTRARS, BOARD OF</u>	
ve M. Sheldon, Inspector	"	Joseph P. Ring, Chairman	1970
rence A. Balkus, Dep. Insp.	"	Esther L. Russell, Clerk	
izabeth Cavanaugh, Dep. Insp.	"	F. Talbot Emery	1969
		Margaret Imbimbo	1971
<u>ETH, BOARD OF</u>		<u>TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS</u>	
es J. Durkee, Chairman	1971	Harold E. Melzar, Chairman	1970
lon C. Boylen	1970	Mary E. Denault, Secretary	1969
eph A. Paglia	1969	Arnold C. Blake	1971
<u>SING AUTHORITY</u>		<u>WATER &amp; SEWER COMMISSIONERS</u>	
es P. Donahue, Chairman	1972	Arnold C. Blake, Chairman	1971
son J. Belbin, Vice Chairman	1971	William K. Irwin, Secretary	1970
est M. Crispo, Treasurer	1973	Vincent R. McLain	1969
Flora Kasabuski, Secretary	1970		
W. Zimmerman, Rep.			
State Housing Board	1973		

ADVISORY COMMITTEES

PERSONNEL ADVISORY BOARD

A. John Imbimbo  
Thomas L. Mitchell  
Robert J. Woods

VOTING MACHINE STUDY COMMITTEE

Robert E. Jennings, Chairman  
Stanley Webber, Secretary  
Laurence P. Alibrandi  
Florence E. Borofsky  
William J. Hanlon  
Roland I. Wood

OFFICERS & DEPARTMENT HEADS - January 1, 1969

Accountant  
Administrative Assistant  
Animal Inspector  
Building Inspector  
Cemetery Superintendent  
Civil Defense Director  
Constables  
Director of Recreation  
Dog Officer  
Engineer  
Fence Viewer  
Fire Chief  
Gas Inspector  
Highway Superintendent  
Ipswich River Watershed Commission  
Librarian  
Medical Agent, Board of Health  
Metropolitan Area Planning Council  
Milk Inspector  
Nurse, Public Health  
Nurses, School  
Physician, School  
Plumbing Inspector  
Public Buildings Superintendent  
Police Chief  
Sealer, Weights and Measures  
Slaughtering Inspector  
Town Clerk  
Town Clerk (Assistant)  
Town Collector  
Town Collector (Deputy)  
Town Counsel  
Town Sanitarian  
Town Treasurer  
Tree Warden & Moth Superintendent  
Veterans Agent  
Water Superintendent  
Wire Inspector  
Veterans Grave Officer

Robert H. Peters  
Mary E. Denault  
Joseph V. Balestrieri  
Roy P. McClanahan  
Francis E. Downs  
George S. Cushing  
Arthur J. Kelley, A. John Imbimbo  
Lawrence H. Cushing  
Joseph V. Balestrieri  
Arthur E. Harding, Jr.  
Edmund H. Sargent, Maurice D. O'Neil  
Arthur J. Boudreau  
William R. Harrison  
Robert P. Palmer  
George W. Boylen, Jr.  
James L. Connors  
Gerald A. Fagan, M.D.  
Madelyn A. McKie  
Ernest F. Romano  
Anne Butters, R.N.  
Helen E. Martin, R.N., Sylvia Levine, R.N.  
Gerald A. Fagan, M.D.  
William R. Harrison  
Frederick S. Jaeschke  
Paul J. Lynch  
Ernest F. Romano  
Esther L. Russell  
Margaret A. Wagstaff  
Marion C. Murphy  
Catherine P. Lindmark  
Alan Altman  
Ernest F. Romano  
Mary E. Denault  
John W. Babine  
Paul A. Farrell  
Edmund H. Sargent  
Charles L. Webster  
Paul A. Farrell

# Town Collector

<u>TOTAL COMMITMENTS - 1968</u>	\$4,103,320.62
1968 Real Estate	3,482,454.50
1968 Water Liens	10,913.46
1968 App. Water Betterment	6,254.10
Committed Interest	3,236.79
1968 App. Street Betterment	5,556.03
Committed Interest	2,986.80
1968 Motor Vehicle Excise	422,995.33
1968 Farm	255.00
1968 Personal Property	140,864.50
1967 Motor Vehicle Excise	19,784.27
App. Water Betterment - Paid in full	1,059.82
Committed Interest	22.83
App. Street Betterment - Paid in full	4,619.03
Committed Interest	65.99
App. Water Betterment	2,252.17

<u>COLLECTIONS - 1968</u>	<u>1968</u>	<u>1967</u>	<u>Others</u>
Real Estate	3,227,657.23	142,312.03	38,454.45
Motor Vehicle Excise	347,397.49	35,700.50	2,419.47
Personal Property	124,358.50	3,214.70	220.55
Water Liens	9,214.75	1,777.88	826.21
App. Street Betterment	5,318.72	304.47	114.11
Committed Interest	2,844.96	188.72	79.56
App. Water Betterment	4,955.17	782.22	700.99
Committed Interest	2,418.03	394.14	447.96
Farm Animal	238.99	16.00	
App. Street Betterment - Paid in full	4,619.03		
Committed Interest	65.99		
App. Water Betterment - Paid in full	1,059.82		
Committed Interest	22.83		
App. Water Betterment	1,131.52		
Interest	6.44		
Interest & Costs - all years	15,701.85		
Municipal Lien Certificates and			
Certificates Dis. Betterments	1,230.00		
Bondance	1,702.00		
Advertising Charges	31.25		
Other Department Collections	270,480.31		
<u>TOTAL COLLECTIONS</u>			\$4,248,408.84

# Town Clerk

## Vital Statistics - Chapter 46, General Laws as Amended:

Births - (final figure for 1967)	302
Births - actually recorded to date for 1968 (this figure will be increased when the final reports are in)	262
Marriage intentions recorded	212
Marriages recorded	227
Deaths recorded	91

## Chapter 46, Section 15:

The Town Clerk will furnish to parents, householders, physicians, and registered hospital medical officers applying therefor, blanks for the return of births as required by law.

## Chapter 114, Section 45:

Seventeen (17) Burial Permits have been issued by the Town Clerk as Special Agent for the Board of Health in 1968. Nine (9) out-of-state deaths reported...permits filed in this office.

## TOWN RECORDS

### Permits and Certificates of Registration for the Storage of Inflammables:

These licenses must be registered by the owner or occupant of the land, or by the holder of the license in the Town Clerk's office on or before April 30 of each year. Notification will be sent on or about March 15. If not registered by law, the license may be revoked by the licensing authority after a public hearing.

Inflammables	96
Uniform Commercial Code recordings	622
Uniform Commercial Code terminations	36
Federal Tax Lien recordings	14
Dog Licenses issued as of 1/16/69	1596
Duplicate dog tags issued	28
Business certificates recorded	18
Business certificates recorded (women doing business on separate checking account)	1
Business withdrawals	0
Fish & Game licenses	793
Pole locations	32
Medical Registration	1

## OTHER SERVICES:

Keep minutes of Annual and Special Town Meetings up to date. (certify same when requested.)  
 Town Clerk has complete charge of elections. Record election results. Send State election results to State House forthwith.  
 Keep Jury list up to date. Draw jurors when court orders come through.  
 Certified (207) copies of Births, Marriages and Deaths.  
 Certified (340) births records called (Abstracts) - used for school entrance, drivers' licenses, out-of-state travel and job applications.

OTHER SERVICES: (continued)

Proof of residence; by letter or card - undetermined number.  
Miscellaneous sales of books and maps - undetermined number.  
Receive writs against the Town and forward copies of same to the Town Counsel.  
Occasionally appear in Court for the Town when summoned - producing all papers and maps required.  
Accept business registrations and keep a file for public use.  
Complete notes of the Town as received from the Town Treasurer - after approval by Selectmen.  
Certify same.  
Record Board of Appeal Decisions.  
Record minutes and decisions of the Planning Board.  
Keep a file of Annual Reports.  
Prepare liquor purchase identification cards. Must keep a record by number.  
Keep a file of all zoning and Town By-Law changes as approved by the Attorney General.  
Swear Town Officers to the faithful performance of their duties and keep a record of same.

The Town Clerk, in her capacity as a Justice of the Peace, certified an undetermined number of legal papers for town officers. Married couples by appointment when presented with the proper credentials.

By virtue of her office, the Town Clerk is clerk to the Board of Registrars. In this capacity, I have -  
Met with the Board on regular meetings and special meetings.  
Kept the minutes of the Board up to date.  
Worked with the Police on the census.  
Kept the voting list up to date.  
Registered voters during office hours.  
Supervised the distribution and filing of Nomination papers.  
Prepared the ballot and ordered the printing of same.  
Supervised the printing of the "Persons' Listed" book.  
Hired election workers. Prepared payrolls to election workers.

In order to complete our records, the Town Clerk would like to receive copies of back years of "Persons' Listed" books. If you have such books and are willing to dispose of them, please contact this office. Of particular need at present are the years 1940-1941-1942-1943 and 1950.

## Town Treasurer

Cash on Hand - January 1, 1968	663,506.88
Receipts	14,790,014.10
Disbursements	14,480,107.90
Cash on Hand - December 31, 1968	973,413.08

Investments:

During 1968 the program of investing idle funds from Bond Issues and Revenue Funds was continued with a resulting profit of \$35,812.17.

# Town Counsel

In accordance with the requirements of the Town By-Laws, I submit herewith my report as Town Counsel covering the year 1968.

A. On January 1, 1968, there were pending the following actions by or against the Town (exclusive of action in which the Town was merely summoned as trustee, and in which it had no interest, and of tax lien foreclosure proceedings in the Land Court and petitions for abatement before the Appellate Tax Board\*).

Town of Wilmington v. Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment damages for taking for state highway).

Beatrice G. Swenson v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Richard Donahue v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action to recover damages for blasting).

City of Boston v. Town of Wilmington, Suffolk Superior Court (Action to recover \$2174.62 for aid to various indigent persons).

Harvey Lobdell v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition in equity for appeal for variance of zoning by-laws).

Geraldine E. Ross, etal v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Action for personal injuries re - motor vehicle accident).

John A. Lucci v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals denying application for variance).

George Vokey, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Paul Bongiorno, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damage for land taking).

Thomas Brennan v. Town of Wilmington, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Action for reinstatement).

Charles Choate Memorial Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action to recover \$1382.72 for aid to indigent persons).

Lena M. Eames v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment for damages for land taking).

Max Leiter, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition in equity appealing Board of Appeals denial of variance).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of City of Boston (Action to recover \$1253.32 for aid to indigent persons).

Austin L. Rounds v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment for damages for land taking).

George Vokey, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

George M.A.M. Webber v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Town of Wilmington v. Magee Construction Company, Inc. of Arlington, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Action to restrain the removal of soil, loam, sand or gravel).

Androniki Gaglione v. Thomas B. Brennan, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages).

James S. Rando, etal v. Middlesex County, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

\* There are pending as of January 1, 1969, 100 separate petitions for abatements before the Appellate Tax Board, many involving claims for several different years.

B. (1) During the year 1968, the following new actions were brought against the Town or its officers or agents: -

Glen Avenue Realty Corp., Inc. v. Board of Health, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for writ of mandamus to require issuance of sanitary permit).

Eugene L. Clifford v. Board of Assessors, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Declaratory judgment to declare unconstitutional arrest for non payment of motor vehicle excise tax).

James V. DeCarolis, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

James A. Demos v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action to recover for property damage).

DeMoulas Super Markets, Inc. v. Paul J. Lynch, Chief of Police of Wilmington, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition to compel respondents to establish regulations regarding picketing and other demonstrations).

I. Fred DiCenso, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals granting application for variance).

Thomas M. Quinn v. Zoning Board of Appeal of Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals affirming decision of building inspector).

Fulton Railing, Inc. v. Town of Wilmington, Essex Superior Court (Action to recover balance due on contract).

Milk Street Construction Company v. Town of Wilmington, American Arbitration Association (Claim for arbitration before American Arbitration Association concerning building contract).

George Morey, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition in equity appealing Board of appeals' denial of variance).

Pasquale Russo v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action of contract to recover award of damage for land taking).

Herbert D. Stevens, v. Board of Water & Sewer Commissioners, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for review for denial by Board of Water Commissioners of abatement of water betterment).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Action to recover \$1230.50 for aid to various indigent persons).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Action to recover \$1008.41 for aid to indigent persons).

Joseph Scaro, etal v. County of Middlesex, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

B. (2) During the year 1968, the following new action was brought by or on behalf of the Town: -

Town of Wilmington v. John Benevento, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Action to restrain the removal of soil, loam, sand or gravel).

C. During the year 1968, the following actions by or against the Town were finally disposed of: -

Town of Wilmington v. Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of after hearing and by payment to Town of \$8686.00).

Thomas Brennan v. Town of Wilmington, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of after trial and final decree entered dismissing bill).

DeMoulas Super Markets, Inc. v. Paul J. Lynch, Chief of Police of Wilmington etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of after hearing and final decree entered dismissing bill).

Max Leiter, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of after trial and by entry of final decree affirming decision of Board of Appeals).

John A. Lucci v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by final decree dismissing bill).

James S. Rando, etal v. Middlesex County, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by allowance by Court of Respondent's Motion to Dismiss).

Geraldine E. Ross, etal v. Town of Wilmington, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by agreement for judgment; settled by insurer).



New Sub-division

# Sarah D. J. Carter Lecture Fund

In the 60th anniversary year of the Carter Lecture Committee we offer a brief history, from the first records of the Committee.

The donor, Mrs. Sarah Davis (Jaquith) Carter, was born in Wilmington on March 24, 1832, daughter of Joshua and Sabra (Gowing) Jaquith of the stock of early settlers of the town. She was married to Cyrus Lewis Carter on February 5, 1874 in Wilmington, and died in Wilmington November 28, 1907.

Following is the bequest contained in Mrs. Carter's will, which bore the date of November 26, 1907 and was admitted to Probate in Middlesex County December 24, 1907

"Eleventh: I give and bequeath to the Town of Wilmington the sum of Six Thousand Dollars, in trust to invest the principal sum and to expend the income in maintaining courses of lectures for the benefit of the people of Wilmington. I direct that the principal of this fund shall be invested only in such securities as may be a lawful investment for Savings Banks in this Commonwealth except that it shall not be loaned on the security of individual names. And should the principal of said trust be lessened by depreciation in the value of the securities in which the investment may be made, or by losses, then the income accruing from the investments shall be allowed to accumulate and to be capitalized until the fund shall be restored to its original value of Six Thousand Dollars."

Town Meeting March 1, 1909 - At the request of the Executor of Mrs. Carter's will the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting in Wilmington on March 1, 1909 contained the following:

"Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to accept the bequest contained in the will of the late Sarah D. J. Carter, and determine how the same shall be cared for."

The Town Clerk's record of the meeting tells of the following action:

"Article 18. On motion it was unanimously voted that the Town of Wilmington accept the legacy of Mrs. S. D. J. Carter, and that the same be placed in the hands of the Board of Trustees of Trust Funds for investment, and the income derived therefrom be paid annually to a committee consisting of five members....."

Oswell Thomas, Thornton Burgess and Branson DeCoue were among those on some of the earlier programs. More recently Dr. Murray Banks, Rear Admiral Donald B. MacMillan, Captain Irving Johnson and John Roberts were with us.

The Committee is very pleased to announce that the 60th anniversary program will be "Sandefjord - Her Voyage around the World", the story of six young people and their 627 days in a reconditioned ketch, the "Sandefjord", from South Africa around the world. In addition to the 8:15 program Friday Evening, March 28, 1969, in the Herbert C. Barrows Auditorium, the students in the High School will have an opportunity to see this outstanding program during school hours on the same day.

# Planning Board

The Wilmington Planning Board respectfully presents the following report of its progress and activities for the year 1968.

Planning Board activity during the past year, while substantial and stimulating, represented a constructive contribution to the future of Wilmington. In addition to its regular meetings on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings for sub-division work, the Board met on the alternate weeks to devote its time to planning. Public hearings were held relative to zoning and sub-division control; as well as a forum to officially lay out our Master Plan that was open to the public and to which all town officials, boards, commissions, departments and representatives of local industries were invited. The Board has maintained particularly close liaison with the Selectmen, Town Manager, Conservation Commission, and on many occasions has met with other boards and officials of the Town.

The year began with a precedent; the election of the first woman to the chair of the Planning Board, Mrs. Theodore C. McKie. New members have been appointed to the Board during the year; and while we regretfully accepted the resignations of Mr. William Stickney, Mr. Frederick Arsenault, and Mr. Emil Berger, we were fortunate in gaining very capable members, Mr. William J. Hanlon, Mr. William G. Hooper, Jr. and Mr. Walter L. Hale, Jr. The reappointment of our hard-working member, Mr. Daniel J. Gillis was welcome news to the rest of the Board.

Fifty-nine (59) applications for sub-divisions or lot approval were acted on during the year. The two large industrial parks located adjacent to I-93 have been developing rapidly and thereby, increasing the total assessed valuation of the Town.

Another large industrial development, located between Eames and Woburn Streets, is presently in its preliminary stage. In that same area of Town, we have had several meetings with the Redevelopment Authority regarding the land they have been authorized to assemble.

Town Engineer, Arthur Harding, has proven an invaluable asset in this work as he provides the liaison between the Board and those seeking its approval. His advice and assistance on engineering matters has given the Board the details necessary to make informed decisions.

Shortly after the annual Town Meeting, an agreement was made with the Soil Conservation Service for a study and analysis of the types of soils found in the town. Samples were taken from various sections of the town for tests which will result in a report to be incorporated into the Master Plan.

Early in the year, a proposal for the relocation of Route 62 was brought before the Board by an engineering firm working for the D.P.W. At a later date, another set of "route corridors" for the proposed relocation of Route 62 - the so-called "Northerly and Southerly Corridors" - was presented. The Planning Board is of the opinion that either corridor would provide a Berlin-wall type barrier to further split the town. With the railroad presently dividing the Town, this highway would successfully cut it into quarters. We are presently working with Representative Fred Cain and the Board of Selectmen in an attempt to find a solution which would be amenable to the State and the Town as well.

A land use map has been completed on which every building in town is located. This, along with air photos of the entire community are a great asset to the various committees.

Much time has been spent in the preparation of an Official Map with the able assistance of our consultant, Prof. Charles W. Eliot and Mr. Duncan Hughes, Planner. This map shows public ways and parks in existence, private ways in existence and in use by more than two owners. An Official Map is invaluable in order to clarify the uncertain status of private ways and premature subdivisions as it makes certain that all new building occurs on ways which have been adequately constructed. Such a map cannot be prepared casually, since it is a legal document that is adopted by the Town Meeting.

Amendments may be made by approval of the Town Meeting and by action of the Planning Board for the addition of proposed streets and public parks - thereby defining precisely the open space and circulation elements of the Master Plan. In other words, this helps to make it work!

Our "small lot" fight lost the first round in 1968. Bill S-834 did not "come out of committee" and never came before the Legislature to be voted on. It has been re-entered this year. An article entered in the 1969 March Town Meeting, if passed, would authorize the town to petition the General Court to enact special legislation. This would exempt Wilmington from those provisions of the General Laws which authorize building on lots having fifty feet of frontage on a public street. Check those woods next door - it may be too late when a house is built on that fifty foot lot!

In Planning, as in every other field, discussions regarding low-cost housing are prevalent. Wilmington should investigate proposed programs and evaluate them in the usual detailed manner before any decisions are made. Part of that decision should include the number of low-cost homes and small lots presently in existence. Wilmington already has:

487	houses built on lots of less than 80 foot frontage
679	lots which can be built on under the provisions of the General Laws
251	lots of less than 50 foot frontage
1417	is the total number of lots which are less than our present zoning by-law requirements

Again we say, these facts should be fully explored and evaluated before any decisions are made.

Recreation and open space took a giant step forward when the March Town Meeting opened the door by voting to acquire four lots in Hathaway Acres Extension as part of a program of land acquisition for parkland purposes. As a direct result of this realization by the townspeople that green areas enhance property values and provide space for recreation for all ages; the Board has directed its attention, through its consultant and his able assistant, Mr. Roy Mann, to the preparation of an open space map. This map will delineate the areas recommended for parks, playgrounds, trails, and greenbelts, wild-life sanctuaries, etc. in a coordinated pattern designed to provide for the future needs of the townspeople.

It followed logically that from a study of open space, we should prepare a Conservancy District to preserve the wetlands and to protect future home-owners from the disastrous effects of wet cellars during the annual flooding seasons. An article for the annual Town Meeting is being prepared which will propose that Wilmington voters approve an amendment to the zoning by-laws to include a Conservancy District for the Town.

A public meeting in July introduced our consultant, Prof. Eliot, to the residents and business community and outlined the projects to be undertaken as part of the 701 Master Plan. The Board requested that suggestions be submitted of areas which needed special attention and of which others were aware. A letter to the residents as published in the local newspaper urging written response outlining trouble spots.

Mr. George Boylen, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, attended a meeting to express the Selectmen's concern regarding traffic, circulation and other problems. A list of seven specific areas was given.

1. Study of Olsen Road - A plan was prepared by Prof. Eliot to extend Olsen Road in both directions. This proposed that a new by-pass be constructed from the area of Parker and Lowell Streets, running parallel with Main Street, crossing Church Street between the Fire Station and Post Office, in back of the shopping center and intersect Main Street at a point where the Shawsheen Ave. Bridge is proposed to be constructed. This proposal is now in the hands of Rep. Cain who is investigating the possibility of the State funding the construction costs as part of the overall circulation pattern of secondary roads in the State.

2. Dispersal of traffic from the southern industrial area - This is presently under study.

3. Widening West Street to minimize prohibitive traffic - Funds have been allocated for an engineering study of this area.

4. Study of the effect of Eames Street Redevelopment Project on traffic - A study is underway to investigate the possibility of a connecting road from the Redevelopment area to a proposed road in the Master Plan of the City of Woburn which would tie-in to Route 128.

5. Flood Plain - As stated previously, the Planning Board is proposing that the Town adopt a Conservancy District for this purpose.

6. Traffic survey of industrial development between Middlesex Avenue and Concord Street - to be studied

7. Intersection of Woburn and Lowell Streets - This is presently under examination. Several proposals have been considered, none seem to solve the problem satisfactorily.

Representatives of the School Committee and its Superintendent met with the Board to discuss their concern regarding possible acquisition of new school locations for (a) an intermediate school, (b) addition to the high school, and (c) a new high school location. Prof. Eliot and the Board reviewed several sites proposed by the School Committee and reported to them. An area in the south-westerly part of town was recommended as the place for a new intermediate school with a suggested road to service it and to connect with the high school. A suggested site for a new high school was thought not to be accessible and would add to the traffic burden. Recommendations were made regarding acquisition of land for a high school addition.

Again, in an effort to be truly representative of the residents, a questionnaire was mailed throughout the town in January, 1969. Questions regarding population, traffic patterns, policy for types of residential development desired, policy for treatment of wetlands, shopping habits, size of buildings lots, what is "right" and "wrong" about Wilmington were asked. As of this writing, questionnaires are still being returned, and when returns are in, they will be incorporated into the Master Plan.

The Planning Board wishes to thank its consultant for the numerous trips to Wilmington and the extra effort he has given so freely. We wish to extend our gratitude also to the Town Manager, boards, committees, department officials and the many individuals who have assisted us in our work. Without their help the planning process could not be accomplished.

"Make no little plans; they have no magic to stir men's blood and probably themselves will not be realized. Make big plans; aim high in hope and work, remembering that a noble, logical diagram once recorded will never die, but long after we are gone will be a living thing, asserting itself with ever growing insistency. Remember that our sons and grandsons are going to do things that would stagger us. Let your watchword be order and your beacon beauty." - Daniel Burnham.

#### PROGRESS REPORT

The Comprehensive Planning "701" Project for Wilmington was launched at a meeting by a large number of Town Officials, representatives of the major Wilmington Industries and citizen organizations, and held at Sweethearts Plastics on the evening of July 23rd, 1968. The Town Manager reviewed the opportunities for service and the duties of the Planning Board, and stated the problem as discovering "1) What is?, 2) What is wanted for the future? and 3) How do we get from here to there?"

Mr. Frederick Fallon of the Planning Division, Mass. D.C.D., explained the role of the State and the three-way contracts covering the 701 Project.

The Planning Consultant, Charles W. Eliot, reviewed the steps leading to the beginning of the 701 Planning Project as follows:

The Planning Project for the preparation of a long-range Comprehensive General Plan for Wilmington was initiated over two years ago by the Planning Board, and in December 1966 an application was filed with the State Department of Commerce and Development for a "701 Project." Local funds appropriated by the Town Meeting and matched with monies generously contributed by Wilmington Industries provided \$10,000 for the project and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has made a grant of \$20,000 for "planning assistance."

Contracts for carrying forward the Planning Project have been agreed upon and signed between the Town and the Department of Commerce and Development, and between the D.C.D. and the planning consultant selected by the Planning Board - Charles W. Eliot of Cambridge. They provide for completion of work and report on a "Scope of Services" on or before March 31, 1970 - or just after the 1970 Annual Town Meeting.

The scope of Services, originally proposed for the planning project in March 1966, has been modified in the last approved form to take into account the very significant work accomplished or under contract over the past two years which has been financed by Town appropriations and contributions from Wilmington Industries. These activities, undertaken by the Planning Board, have involved various other Town Officers and Agencies who have provided essential information and cooperated in developing policies and in carrying plans into action.

During 1966, Mr. Samuel P. Snow served as Planning Consultant and advanced work on the zoning map, a re-writing of the Subdivision Regulations and a survey of land uses along Interstate 93. The services of Charles W. Eliot

were also retained as Planning Consultant in 1966 and up to the signing of the "701" contract. Under his general direction, Stephen Bartlett served as Town Planner on a full-time basis during the summer of 1967 and on a part-time basis until June 1968. Reports on problems of future Open Spaces, Tax Delinquent Properties and a map of Existing Land Uses have been prepared. Planning Consultant Charles E. Downe, with the assistance of Charles Thomas, has advanced work on an Official Map to clarify the legal status of "ways" in Wilmington. A contract with the Soil Conservation Service has been entered into for an "Operational Soil Survey" which is now under way and scheduled for completion by March of 1969. In December, 1967, a set of Air Photographs was made at the expense of the Planning Board to provide the basis for up-dated base maps. The Town Engineer, Mr. Harding, provides review of subdivision projects, advice on land drainage and other engineering services. Over this same two year period 1966-1968 the Planning Board, with the help of its consultant, the Town Counsel and other Town officials, has continued its efforts to improve the Zoning By-Law and has processed a large number of subdivision projects. These activities and projects are being continued and further developed under the 701 Project as they contribute to or become integral parts of the proposed Comprehensive General Plan. The Scope of Services for the Planning Project lists the studies, plans and reports which are to be prepared and submitted on or before March 31, 1970 under the following headings:

1. Base Maps
2. Existing Land Uses - extending and analyzing previous work
3. Land Suitability and Character - Soils, Geology, Topo, Wetlands, Ecology, etc.
4. Questionnaire and Canvass by local organizations
5. Historical Background
6. Area of Influence - Regional Considerations
7. Neighborhood Analysis
8. Population Study
9. Economic Base Study
10. Circulation and Transportation Study
11. Utility Studies and Plans - Water, Sewer, Drainage, Waste Disposal, etc.
12. Community Facilities Study - Schools, Recreation, Open Space, Municipal
13. Preliminary General Plan
14. Special Area Studies
15. "General Plan" Proposals with
16. Reports on Proposals for Implementation through
  - A. Capital Outlay Program
  - B. Zoning Revisions
  - C. Revision of Subdivision Regulations and
  - D. Official Map
17. A "Master Plan" Report

The Progress of this work during the remainder of 1968 is reviewed, under these headings in a later section of this report. Two points were stressed by the Planning Consultant on the occasion of the "launching" of the Planning Project; - on the role of your Planning Consultant, and on the part to be played by the officials and people of the Town.

As to the role of the Planning Consultant, - all too often cities and towns which employ one, seem to expect the consultant to know what problems are bothering the citizens and by some mysterious process come up with the answers. If he works on the wrong problems or proposes an unpopular solution for a particular problem, then all the proposals in a general plan are ridiculed as impractical and the report is "put on the shelf." So, let's be clear about this from the outset: - The General Plan we - and I stress we are going to prepare will be proposed by your Planning Board - not just by your Consultant. I am not going to tell you or the Board what you should do or shouldn't do. When we have a problem, I will try to help in getting a clear statement of that problem in supplying data concerning it, and in calling attention to facets which might otherwise be overlooked - like Metropolitan Plans, State Laws and experience in other Towns. I will advise, but the decisions will be taken by the Planning Board on all the plans and proposals for presentation to the Town."

The second point concerns the part to be played by the officials and citizens of Wilmington. This is your Town and neither the Planning Consultant nor your Planning Board can know what you want Wilmington to be in 1990 or the year 2000 unless you tell them and participate in making the plans to keep or change the Town in accordance with your desires."

The Planning Project has been designed with heavy reliance on citizen participation. Throughout the Planning Project, the participation of Town officials and Boards is essential. Your Consultant and the Planning Board must rely on the special knowledge which you have - each in your own field. We don't want to duplicate efforts or repeat projects already completed or under-way. On the other hand there are doubtless some data, programs or projects which you have not had the funds or time to pursue.

Please let the Planning Board know about them, so that it can see how they may relate to the plans for Wilmington's future. We are off on an adventure, - exploring the future and setting a course towards fulfillment of our hopes for Wilmington."

These efforts to elicit comments and suggestions for the 701 Project brought responses in the form of questions about Soil Survey in relation to School Sites and to work of the Board of Health; about the suggested inventory of natural features in relation to Nature Study on School Sites and on sizes, ownerships and appraisals of possible school sites. There was renewed emphasis on traffic congestion - particularly near Industrial establishments and the need for a long range plan instead of patch-work alleviation of bad situations. Questions were raised about a local or regional hospital, about air pollution, and about "recreation" and the work of the Recreation Board. There was comment, too, on the danger that the Town might become just a "lot of buildings and asphalt" and on the importance of attention to "esthetic qualities" and character with "street trees and grass."

Work on these planning problems and projects since July has been in continuation of the previous efforts and necessarily adjusted to new situations and proposals which have a way of coming up and requiring special attention. For the work on the "701" Project the Planning Consultant has been able to get the assistance of Duncan I. Hughes (through a sub-contract with Nash-Vigier, Inc.) and of Roy Mann - (by direct sub-contract).

Four Special Situations have come up:

1. A proposal for a "Middle Belt" or "Route 62 Corridor" with a four lane - divided expressway across Wilmington. Three locations for such a Corridor, under design by Howard, Needles, Tammen & Bergendoff, were presented at the meeting of the Planning Board on August 20, 1968, and have been the subject of analysis and report by the Planning Consultant. At the request of the Town Manager and Planning Board, the Mass. Department of Public Works allowed the Consultant access to the studies by the Highway Engineers. The project would have tremendous impact on the Town if constructed, and has therefore required special attention by the Planning Board and the Planning Consultant. The Middle Belt proposal also involves neighboring towns and the Metropolitan Area Planning Council.

2. The collapse of the Shawsheen Avenue Bridge over the Railroad triggered action on plans for a grade separation to replace that bridge and the one at Bridge Street. The Planning Board has worked with the Selectmen, Town Manager, Town Engineer and Representative Cain on this project which constitutes a relocation of Route 129 from Shawsheen Avenue near Aldrich Road to Main Street in the approximate line of Richmond Street.

The work of the Planning Consultant on a Major Street Plan for Wilmington, and analysis of the available data in "average daily traffic" and "road capacities" has revealed the urgent need for relief of the congestion on Main Street in the section where that street serves as both Route 38 and Route 129. The several earlier plan for a by-pass on the east side of Main Street and the current proposals for a layout of Olson Road have been reviewed and developed by the Planning Consultant and Town Engineer as an "Alternate Route 129" which would extend from Shawsheen Avenue at Aldrich, across Main Street and via Olson Road to Lowell Street near Adams Street. This project is now before the D.P.W. for study at the request of Representative Cain.

3. The Open Space Plan developed by the Metropolitan Area Planning Council and the studies of the Ipswich River Watershed have both pointed to a large "Uplands Reservation" in Wilmington, Burlington and Woburn. The chairman of the Planning Board as the Town Representative on the M.A.P.C. has succeeded in qualifying the act of the M.A.P.C. adopting the report on Open Spaces by requirement of a re-study of the project proposed for the Wilmington area.

Meanwhile, the work on the Wilmington Comprehensive Plan by the Planning Consultant and Mr. Roy Mann has produced preliminary plans for open spaces in the southwestern portion of the Town which can be alternatives or substitute versions of the M.A.P.C. proposal. The M.A.P.C. is understood to be organizing a series of sub-regional meetings during the spring months which will provide opportunity for further cooperative action on these possible open space plans by the towns involved.

4. School Sites and Facilities. The report by Hill and Associates on projected School Population and need for new School Facilities led to a joint meeting of the Planning Board with members of the School Committee, Permanent Building Committee and other Town Officials in September. The preferred solution of the immediate problem appeared to be:

- a. A new South Intermediate School of 18-20 rooms on a new site of 15-20 acres (or preferably more) and
- b. An addition and revision of the existing High School with added land.

he choice of site and extent of lands to be acquired are vital elements in the Comprehensive General Plan. he Planning Board and its Planning Consultant are eager to work with all the appropriate agencies on these problems.

n any review of planning progress it is important to keep in mind two aspects of "planning" work: -

1. Since Planning is a "continuing process" the so-called Inventory items in the Scope of Services should be continuously studied and records up-dated right up to the date when the "Report" goes to press; and

2. Since each of the "elements" in a general plan interacts with and on all of the other "elements" it is impossible, or certainly improper to "complete" work on any one element in advance of integration with the others.

he Status of Work and expected Program of Work on the several items in the Scope of Services is as follows:

1. Base Maps. The two Town Maps at 600 scale with and without contours - have been developed, been titled, etc. on Mylar or Sepia Prints, from maps made available by the Town Engineer and by photography from the U.S.G.S. Sectional Maps are being prepared as needed from time to time from either the Air Pictures or Assessors Maps with the cooperation of the Town Engineer.

2. Existing Land Uses. The 1967 Survey is to be kept up to date. The tabulation of data has been completed as of December 1968 and reported to the Planning Board in a memorandum on "Land Development Capacities."

3. Land Suitability. The Inventory of Natural Features proposed to be prepared by the Conservation Commission is not yet available. Preliminary maps have been received from the Soil Conservation Service on the Soil Survey which the Town contracted for prior to the 701 Project, and more complete reports are expected by March 1, 1969.

The report on "Land Development Capacities" referred to above utilized the information now available.

have collected, are collecting, and will continue to collect and interpret data on physical conditions for preparation of the final report. Data on Ipswich River Watershed and possible Impoundment Reservoirs and on Wetlands has been and is being analyzed. The study which the U.S. Corps of Engineers has agreed to make of Flood Plains, Flood Frequency, etc., has not yet been begun; nor has the Drainage Study which the Town expects to get from Whitman and Howard, Engineers.

4. Questionnaire. 3700 copies of a Questionnaire - as finally agreed upon after many drafts - were mailed on January 4 and returns have begun to come back. The Planning Board decided to rely on mailing instead of a canvass. It is hoped that sufficient returns may be received to warrant tabulation and analysis before the March Town Meeting.

5. Historical Background. Collection of materials is proceeding with intent to include a draft report in the Progress Report of February 1969.

6. Area of Influence. The 701 Reports for adjoining towns have been reviewed in detail, and plans or projects of the MAPC, MBTA, Ipswich River Watershed, Lowell Region, Eastern Mass. Regional Planning Project and Department of Public Works have been and are being utilized or reviewed - including Open Space, Transportation (Route 62 Corridor, Transit Extensions, etc.), Impoundment Reservoirs, Water and Sewer Facilities and Population Projections and "Density Umbrella" etc. This is again a subject which will require attention and updating throughout the 701 Project.

7. Neighborhood Analysis. Neighborhoods have been delineated and analysis begun - again the report of Development Capacities. We hope to get additional information on housing from answers to the Questionnaire. Current work on the Open Space Plan will help to further define Neighborhoods.

8. Population - The EMRPP and MAPC materials on Population are being utilized and the study of Development Capacities has provided an alternative prediction. These estimates must, of course, be revised in detail. Neighborhood Analysis and Neighborhood Planning continues.

9. Economic Base. It is intended that this study should be developed to a Preliminary Report during the Spring of 1969, and to that end, negotiations are being conducted for cooperation of "Wilmington Industries."

10. Circulation and Transportation. This subject has had a high priority in our work with special attention to the two routes for a proposed "Route 62 Corridor", the replacement of the Shawsheen Ave. Bridge and the proposed "New Route 129." All of the available traffic data and capacity studies have been assembled and analyzed, and a preliminary plan and report on a Major Streets System has been submitted to the Planning Board. We shall continue revising that preliminary plan right up to the printing of the final report.

11. Utility Studies. Just beginning, with intent to develop some preliminary findings during the next three or four months.

12. Community Facilities. School sites have been studied in relation to current projects for a South Intermediate School and additions to the High School - based on the report of Hill & Associates.

A preliminary Open Space Plan was presented with particular reference to Tax Title Properties in or adjoining sites for future public use. Like the Major Streets Plan, this preliminary Open Space Plan will be revised and adjusted as other plans are developed.

13. A Preliminary General Plan will be presented to a general meeting of Town Officers on February 4, 1970.

14. Special Area Studies are already under way in connection with highway zoning and open space proposal.

15. The General Plan will have to go to press about December 1st, 1969 to be ready by the end of the 701 Contract and to be available for the 1970 March Town Meeting. It may be desirable to present some of the planning proposals for zoning, official map, etc., to a Special Town Meeting.



Need for more "Off-Street Parking"



Wilmington's greatest natural resource  
"Silver Lake"

# Police Department

I hereby respectfully submit my Annual Report of the activities of the Wilmington Police Department for the year 1968.

## ARRESTS

Affray	2	Indecent Assault on a Child Under Fourteen	1
Annoying Phone Calls	1	Indecent Exposure	2
Arrests for Other Departments	49	Juvenile	71
Assault and Battery	24	Kidnapping	1
Being Minor, Liquor in Possession	9	Larceny of a Motor Vehicle	1
Breaking and Entering	15	Larceny	26
Concealment of Stolen Property	1	Lewd and Lascivious-Speech and Behavior	11
Curfew Law Violation	9	Loitering in a Public Place	7
Drunk	81	Malicious Damage	8
Escapee	2	Non-Support	9
False Statement to Procure Liquor	1	Removal of Flowers From a Grave	4
Forging and Uttering	2	Runaway	3
Freight Trains, Unlawful Riding On	2	Trespassing	2
Idle and Disorderly	22	Unnatural Act	2
Illegitimacy	1	Total	369

## MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS

Allowing Improper Person to Operate	1	No Rear Plate Light	7
Attaching Plates	8	No Tail Lights	9
Disposing of Rubbish While Using Motor Vehicle	1	Not Displaying Plates Properly	1
Endangering	12	Not Keeping Right	5
Failing to Display Flares on Roadway	1	Not Keeping Right of Traffic Island	2
Failure to Have Proper Windshield	2	Operating Recklessly	3
Failure to Use Care in Stopping and Starting	1	Operating Under the Influence	9
Following Too Close	1	Overloading	1
Headlight Out	2	Red Light-Not Stopping	12
Leaving Scene After Causing Property Damage	3	Refusing to Stop on Signal of Police Officer	1
Leaving Scene After Causing Personal Injury	1	Registration Not Accessible	25
License Not Accessible	10	Speeding	155
License-Operating Without	11	Stop Sign Violation	5
License-Operating After Suspension	8	Unregistered and Uninsured	13
Muffler, Noisy	11	Using Without Authority	19
No Front Plate	7		
No Inspection Sticker	24	Total	371

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Arrests By Warrant	25	Gun Permits Issued	309
Assaults Reported	83	House Checks (Vacation)	48
Automobile Accidents	476	Juvenile Complaints	506
Automobiles Stolen	69	Juvenile Court Cases	28
Bicycles Registered	139	Juvenile Cases Handled Within Department	4
Buildings Broken Into	204	Larceny Complaints	42
Buildings Found Open	296	Licenses Suspended and Revoked	14
Cases at Cambridge Superior Court	48	Lost and Found Articles Reported	9
Cases at Woburn District Court	548	Malicious Damage Investigated	55
Complaints Received	7634	Missing Persons Reported	4
Cruisers Dispatched to Investigate	4560	Prowler Reports	11
Disturbances Reported	815	Robberies (Armed)	
Domestic Problems Reported	362	Robberies (Unarmed)	
Emergency Trips With Cruisers	213	Sex Offenses Reported	7
Fatal Accidents on Route 93	1	Sudden Deaths	1
Firearm Dealers Permits Issued	4	Suicides (Including Attempts)	
Firearm Identification Cards Issued	624	Summonses Delivered	78
Fires Responded To	153		

Total Fines Assessed - \$8,200.00

DISPOSITION OF CITATIONS ISSUED

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>WARNINGS</u>	<u>COMPLAINTS</u>	<u>ARRESTS</u>	<u>VOIDED</u>	<u>TOTALS</u>
January	1	2	1	0	4
February	1	5	4	0	10
March	4	33	3	0	40
April	12	34	2	0	48
May	2	26	1	0	29
June	2	6	4	4	16
July	7	41	5	2	55
August	2	7	2	0	11
September	3	17	0	0	20
October	55	86	3	2	146
November	15	15	1	3	34
December	2	4	1	0	7
TOTALS	106	276	27	11	420

These figures show the many things that we are engaged with and the number of times we did this or did that. To most everyone who reads this report all it will be is just that; but to some who might have "been involved with us and made the so called list statistically" it will remind them of their involvement....and they will appreciate the report a little more. To us, we of the Department, who have done the work....we know of the time and effort that went into this production.

At this time I would like to take this opportunity to inform all the residents of Wilmington, especially those who have just moved into Town, that we operate twenty-four (24) hours a day....every day of the year.... that we have radio equipped patrol cars....that these cars are out there ALL THE TIME....AND IF YOU HAVE ANY REASON TO CALL THE POLICE....PUT THAT CALL INTO THE POLICE STATION....IMMEDIATELY!!!! TOO MANY TIMES WE HEAR, "I WAS GOING TO CALL....BUT FIGURED THAT BY THE TIME YOU GOT UP HERE THEY WOULD BE GONE". PLEASE PUT THAT CALL IN....KNOWING THAT THE CRUISERS ARE OUT THERE AT ALL TIMES....AND THAT IT IS POSSIBLE THAT ONE OF THEM MIGHT JUST BE DOWN THE STREET FROM YOU. Please call us! 658-3331 or 658-3332.

Some of the Highlights of 1968 worthy of note:

Two (2) new Police Officers voted by the people at the Annual Town Meeting...Officer Bernard Nally came to us in April and attended the Northern Middlesex Police Academy at Lowell State College for six weeks and graduated in October. (Welcome to the team, Bernie!)...Officer Robert LaRivee arrived late, coming to us in November. Too late to attend the Academy for sure; but he will make it next time around (April). (Welcome to the team, Bob!)

Three of our Traffic Supervisors decided to "resign" this year. We said a "Fond Goodbye" to Pat Howlett - Grace Santo - and Jeanne Camber. (My sincere appreciation for a Job Well Done!)...To bridge the gap, we have appointed Rita Richardson - Phyllis Trefry - and Priscilla Cipriani. (Welcome to the Finest Group!)...A new Traffic Supervisor was approved late in the year and this spot is yet to be filled....

Officer Ritchie comes in for special thanks this year....for the work he did in showing the film "The Friendly Stranger" to all school children of the first six grades. This was done in April and May...Officer Harvey attended the F.B.I. refresher course in Firearms at Camp Curtis Guild in Wakefield for a week in October.... A new base radio station was voted at the Annual Town Meeting and put into operation in June. (Thanks, Rod!) On a personal note. I take great pride in informing you that I completed my twentieth year as Chief on October 20th. (1948-1968).

Now for the part of this annual report I like best....giving thanks to all those who do so much to make the operation of this department "Bearable".

To all the "Members of the Department"....for the cooperation we get from all the Town Departments....to the Board of Selectmen and the Town Manager....and to all the Residents who in anyway help us with our work throughout the year.

To each of you, my most sincere thanks! And as we continue through the year 1969 we look forward to your continued cooperation for the better operation of your Police Department.



Traffic Problems on Burlington Avenue

# Town Engineer

The requests for engineering services continued to increase during the year. The Town Engineer was assisted by two Northeastern University students, alternating between periods of work and study. These students are employed under the Cooperative Plan and change every three or six months. With this continual change of student employees quarterly, it is difficult to maintain continuing projects without constant supervision as the capabilities of the students change as a senior student may be replaced by a freshman student.

Field surveys, calculations, plans and cost estimates were prepared for many projects, both approved and proposed, including layout for Ferguson Road, Elwood Road and Jere Road for construction under the Betterment Act; layout of Sudbury Avenue for installation of a water main and for proposed construction under the Betterment Act; numerous drainage projects constructed by the Highway Department, including Burt Road, Butters Row Chestnut Street, Bridge Lane, Woburn Street, Coolidge Road, and sidewalk construction of Burlington Avenue.

Plans, specifications and contracts were prepared for the construction of Elwood Road and Jere Road by private contractor, with the contract being awarded to the lowest bidder of seven bids received. Construction started October 1st and was suspended December 7th, due to weather conditions with Jere Road being about 95% complete and Elwood Road about 75% complete. This work required constant supervision and inspection by the Engineering Department.

The Town Engineer met with the Planning Board at all of its regular and special meetings as an engineering advisor and acts as its agent in the inspection of construction of streets, utilities and storm drainage in all approved subdivisions. During the year construction was completed on Woodland Road and Hanson Road and continued on Chapman Avenue and Sheridan Road in Barrows Park; Hathaway Road, Draper Drive, Evans Drive and Buzzell Drive in Hathaway Acres; Wicks Circle in Pine Tree Park; Fordham Road in Wilmington Industrial Park; Industrial Way and Progress Way in Route 93; Northern Industrial Park. Construction was started on Sheldon Avenue, Allen Park Drive and Fairmont Avenue in Allen Park; Nathan Road and Senpek Road in Wildwood Estates; Benson Road and Radcliff Road in Benson Park.

Many study plans were prepared from property maps and aerial photo maps for proposed highway relocations, proposed school sites, and study plans for the Planning Board's "701" Master Plan.

The Town Engineer assisted all departments requesting engineering services, but many requests remain unfilled because of lack of qualified personnel.

# Sealer of Weights & Measures

The list of measuring devices, meters and weights adjusted and sealed during the year 1968 is as follows:

	<u>Adjusted</u>	<u>Sealed</u>	<u>Not Sealed</u>	<u>Condemned</u>
Balances, Scales & Weights	8	46	2	1
Capacity Measures	0	2	0	0
Liquid Measuring Meters	0	77	0	2
Other Measuring Devices	0	2	0	0

# Highway Department

I hereby submit my Annual Report of the activities of the Wilmington Highway Department for the year 1968.

Drainage: We eliminated many problems this year. Burt Road was the most expensive and time consuming. Others were culverts installed off Clark Street, Federal Street, Cedar Swamp, Grove Avenue and Chestnut Street. Catch basins installed on Lawrence Street, Bridge Lane, Adams Street and Woburn Street. Catch basins and pipe installed on Butters Row, Pond Street, Grove Avenue and Lake Street, Woburn Street and Federal Street.

Sidewalk Programs: Completed Burlington Avenue from Boutwell Street to Forest Street, Grove Avenue from Main Street to Wild Avenue, Federal Street from Middlesex Avenue to Concord Street.

Chapter 81 Maintenance: About 8 miles of streets were resurfaced all or in part. Streets included were: Swain Road, Roosevelt Road, Chestnut Street, Butters Row, Burlington Avenue, Clark Street, Aldrich Road, Grant Street, Dublin Avenue, Middlesex Avenue, Temple Street, Hilltop Road, Meadow Lane, Washington Avenue, Hillside Way, Bridge Lane and Thurston Avenue. All streets were swept. All catch basins and culverts were cleaned and checked. All streets were cleaned of brush by spraying or cutting.

Chapter 90 Maintenance: \$4,499.98 was spent for hot top for Shawsheen Avenue from Carter Lane to the cranberry bog.

Chapter 90 Construction: Burlington Avenue was constructed from Dell Drive to Boutwell Street. The Highway Department also put the finish hot top on Burlington Avenue from Dell Drive to Roosevelt Road, which wasn't finished in 1967 due to cold weather. This was the last Chapter 90 project to be constructed with town forces. All future projects will be let out on contract.

Work Performed for Other Departments: Maintenance Department: We finished the tennis courts at the Boutwell School and North Intermediate School. Put finish hot top on the Wildwood School play area. Swept all school yards.

Cemetery Department: We hauled fill and loam for the addition to the cemetery and spread it.

Tree Department: Two men and the loader worked for seventeen days to help the Tree Department remove some big trees.

Water Department: The grader was used for two days to scrape well field roads.

All regular highway maintenance work was carried out during the year; such as street patching, sweeping, erection of street signs, cleaning catch basins, scraping back roads, etc.

Snow and ice removal still remains a major and very expensive problem.

Equipment: My mechanics, foreman and I have checked over the equipment and sincerely conclude we must trade two dump trucks, two pickup trucks, buy a new chassis and cab for the catch basin cleaner, trade in the grader. I am also asking for an addition to the fleet which is a truck equipped with an eight inch earth auger and 6,000 pound winch. This truck will be used to great advantage for installing guard rail and sign post. This will also be used as a maintenance truck.

In concluding this report, I would like to thank all Town departments for the cooperation extended this department in 1968. To the Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen for their support throughout the year. To the men of the Highway Department for their every effort to the accomplishments of the Highway Department in 1968, a most sincere expression of thanks and appreciation. On April 29, 1968, I was appointed Superintendent of Streets, upon the retirement of James H. White.

# Public Library

During 1968, the following progress was made in acquiring a new library facility for the Town:

1. Site preparation began early in 1968 following the award of the library construction contract by the Permanent Building Committee. It is anticipated that building construction will be completed early in 1969.
2. Major furniture and equipment contracts were also awarded during 1968. It is estimated that delivery and installation of these various items will not occur before April, 1969.

The Library Trustees and Librarian have been variously occupied during the year in their efforts to cater to the demands of an existing library operation, actively participating in the construction and equipping of the new facility, and in planning the staffing and operation of the new library.

We, along with the library patrons, look forward to the opening of the Wilmington Memorial Library during 1969.

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Books added to library	5,293	
Recordings added	195	
Books circulated	88,820	} 29,390
Periodicals circulated	398	
Recordings circulated	172	
Fines collected	\$1,328.62	

The circulation figures for 1968 represented an increase of 8,792 over 1967 - this constitutes approximately a 10 percent increase in circulation. There was an added impetus on the borrowing of materials from other sources in order to supplement the library's holdings and to give improved service to the library patrons.

The library's processing operation was moved to rented quarters to facilitate the transition into the new library. It was necessary to remove the library's recordings to these temporary quarters. It was felt that the books were of primary importance; any temporary inconvenience to our recording users is regretted.

On July 1 a new charge system was installed in order to more efficiently serve the library user.

The story hour continued as successfully as before, and was expanded in scope by addition of Mrs. Sullivan to the very efficient, capable and devoted trio of Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. McKie, and Mrs. Passmore.

# Board of Registrars

In accordance with Section 1, Chapter 3, of the Town By-Laws, meetings of the Board of Registrars are held on the second Monday of each month for the registration of voters and the conduct of business. Under Chapter 626 of the Acts of 1958, this meeting is open to the public and the press, and it is so posted in the Town Hall.

The Board held five (5) all-day registration periods adding a total of three hundred ninety-six (396) voters to the list. There were seventeen (17) day and evening sessions to certify names on nomination papers, and Warrant Articles.

Women married prior to January 1 must re-register under their marriage name. Naturalized citizens must have their naturalization papers with them when registering.

In order to keep the voting list as up-to-date as possible, the Board annually compares the voting list with the yearly census. If a voter's name does not appear in the census, it is subject to removal from the voting register.

New residents are requested to notify the Board of Registrars of the date which they take residence in the town. Any change of address within the town during the year should be brought to the attention of the board so that your name will not be removed from the voting list inadvertently.

1968 POPULATION - (estimated)..... 16,600

1968 DOGS LISTED - .,..... 1,878

## REGISTERED VOTERS AS OF JANUARY 1, 1969 (estimated)

Democrats.....	2,563
Republicans.....	1,091
Undeclared.....	<u>3,296</u>
Total.....	6,950

# Dog Officer

Dog Licenses	1594
Dogs Confined	167
Complaints covered	1326
Dogs Disposed of	138
Dogs Killed by Cars	53 -
Resident Calls for Licenses	611
Kennels - \$50.00	0
25.00	1
10.00	0

# Fire Department

The manual force consists of the Chief, three Lieutenants, and eighteen Privates. There is a call force of fifteen members. The department responded to a total of one thousand two hundred twenty-three (1,223) calls.

Ambulance Calls	373	Service Calls	308
Auto & Trucks	63	False Alarms	71
Buildings	66	Out of Town	19
Brush & Grass	323		

Total value of property endangered was \$1,197,629.00  
Total property loss was \$ 102,585.83

Permits issued for blasting	15
Permits issued for storage of oil	73
Permits issued for storage of propane gas	19

Inspections were made of all schools, public buildings and all gasoline tanks locations as required by law.

The Fire Prevention Bureau under the direction of Lieutenant Cushing made inspections of all business establishments in town.

The Fire Alarm Division under the direction of Private Blaisdell made all necessary repairs to the fire alarm system, also made one hundred twenty-eight (128) change-overs for the Light and Telephone Companies, strung approximately two miles of wire. The NAPA Company on Woburn Street was tied into the alarm system. Replaced five old alarm boxes (3 street boxes and 2 school boxes.) Installed transmitter and take up reel at Fire Headquarters. Serviced and repainted all street boxes.



Wilmington's Housing for the Elderly

# Building Inspector

Building Permits were issued as follows:

	No.	1966 Valuation	No.	1967 Valuation	No.	1968 Valuation
Dwellings (Single Family)	123	\$1,816,560	76	\$1,155,000	131	\$2,010,500
Residential Garages	17	28,210	17	29,200	20	52,500
Alterations & Repairs (Residential)	36	88,240	63	134,500	64	145,900
<u>TOTAL</u>		<u>\$1,933,010</u>		<u>\$1,318,700</u>		<u>\$2,208,900</u>
Industrial Buildings	15	\$ 897,100	6	\$2,490,000	12	\$6,517,000
Commercial Buildings			1	52,000	3	128,000
Commercial Garages	1	4,940				
Office Buildings	1	241,584	1	15,000		
Utility Buildings	3	32,500				
Sheds, Barns, Etc.	29	62,735	34	110,100	43	106,650
Additions & Alterations (Non-Residential)	15	64,600	19	936,800	6	336,000
Service Stations	2	295,000	1	60,000		
Recreation	3	175,580				
<u>TOTAL</u>		<u>\$1,774,039</u>		<u>\$3,663,900</u>		<u>\$7,087,650</u>
Schools			1	\$ 545,000	2	\$1,300,000
Religious	1	\$ 84,000				
<u>TOTAL</u>		<u>\$ 84,000</u>		<u>\$ 545,000</u>		<u>\$1,300,000</u>
		<u>\$3,791,049</u>		<u>\$5,527,600</u>		<u>\$10,596,550</u>
Renewals	33		42		27	
Demolitions	8		15		14	
Fire Damage & Repairs	5		4		5	
Foundations					4	
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>292</u>		<u>280</u>		<u>331</u>	

## REPORT OF FEES RECEIVED AND TURNED OVER TO THE TREASURER:

Building Permits	292	\$3,588.40	280	\$3,548.00	331	\$10,399.00
Gas Fitting Permits	136	837.50	104	551.00	116	808.50
Wiring Permits	285	1,608.48	302	1,576.75	282	2,255.75

1968 has been a comparatively successful year. The increase in quantity and quality of residential and industrial construction is encouraging.

Zoning has received increased attention throughout the year, and court action has been taken on the more difficult cases.

Many thanks to the departments, boards and commissions who have helped to make 1968 a successful year.

# Water & Sewer Department

## WATER SUPPLY:

	<u>1964</u>	<u>1965</u>	<u>1966</u>	<u>1967</u>	<u>1968</u>
Maximum gallons pumped per day	3,929,300	4,088,000	3,973,400	4,348,500	3,853,200
Maximum gallons pumped per week	21,567,300	23,010,300	25,085,300	23,520,700	19,938,400
Maximum gallons pumped per month	79,712,800	92,685,500	104,655,200	98,027,200	83,369,800
Average gallons pumped per day	2,168,121	2,570,952	2,592,550	2,714,234	2,348,000
Average gallons pumped per month	66,149,066	78,427,300	78,856,000	82,575,825	71,419,125
Total gallons pumped per year	793,788,800	938,397,500	946,281,000	990,909,900	857,029,500

Despite a decline in total gallons pumped in 1968 which was due to a marked decrease in consumption by two large industrial consumers and a relatively cool summer, the Commissioners plan to start engineering for construction of a pumping station at the Salem Street well field. In conjunction with the new station there will be new connecting mains installed from the easterly side of Wilmington to the Shawsheen Avenue well field on the westerly side of Town. The additional pumping station and connecting mains will not only contribute to the reliability of the total water supply, but will alleviate an existing pressure problem now affecting industrial fire protection in the northern part of Town.

## MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION:

Active Metered Services	4032	New Hydrants Installed	20
Active Unmetered Services	38	New Services Installed	101
Total Active Services	4070	New Meters Installed	104

## WATER MAIN EXTENSIONS:

	<u>6" Main</u>	<u>8" Main</u>	<u>Hydrants</u>
<u>Under the Betterment Program</u>			
Sudbury Avenue	490'		1
<u>By the Department for Builders</u>			
Aldrich Road		172'	1
West Street	138'		1
<u>By Developers and Builders</u>			
Jackson Bros. - Allen Park	1650'	2825'	7
Pinetree Realty - Senpek Road		320'	
Nathan Road	400'	480'	3
Cormier - Benson Park	540'	340'	3
Newhouse - Railroad Avenue	300'		1
Total Extensions	3518'	4137'	17

Sewer: There were four additional sewer connections made during 1968, bringing the total sewer services to :

# Tree Department

During the year 1968, the Tree Department carried on its usual work of tree removal, trimming and removing broken limbs, and removing dead wood. Some of these trees are diseased or dead and are taken down, removed to the Town tree dump and burned to prevent disease from spreading to other trees. We continue to trim trees around fire alarm systems. Eighteen trees were treated and fed this year. The Christmas tree on the common was decorated again this year under the supervision of the Tree Warden. This tree is called the Herbert C. Barrows Christmas Tree. One hundred and five Norway Maples were planted on different streets as requested. Twenty-three trees were removed on Elwood Road and eight on Jere Road for road construction. The Tree Department plowed snow with the Highway Department. We cut three large trees in back of the new library, and trees around the highway garage for the new highway garage addition.

## Moth Department:

We sprayed all shade trees in the Town with D.D.T., and malathion for gypsy moth, tent caterpillar, pine shoot and oak blight.

## Elm Leaf Beetle & Dutch Elm Disease:

The elm leaf beetle spraying program starts in April and continues into August. This year 50 elms were lost through dutch elm disease. Eighty samples were sent to Amherst State College to be tested. We have removed about twelve large stumps with the new stump cutter we received in the middle of October. This work was formerly done by private contractors.

## Poison Ivy and Rag Weed:

Brush killer was sprayed for poison ivy and rag weed along roadsides and homes where it was found.

## Mosquitoes:

Homes, swamps, and bog areas were sprayed again this year with D.D.T. and malathion. We will not be able to use D.D.T. anymore because of a State law that takes effect in 1969. We will have to find other insecticides. We will be notified what insecticides we will be able to use.



Burlington Avenue reconstruction with New Sidewalks

# Cemetery Department

## Burials in 1968:

Residents died in Wilmington	5
Residents died elsewhere	51
Non-residents	47
Babies	7
Cremations	2
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	112

## Receipts:

Interments	\$4,450.00
Liners sold	1,178.00
Foundations for Monuments	1,006.00
Setting markers	45.00
Sale of old plow	50.00
Affidavitts	6.00
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Total Receipts	\$6,735.00

## Reserve:

Sale of Lots	\$6,060.00
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Perpetual Care:	800.00
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During the months of August and September within a period of sixteen days, the Cemetery Department received about twenty thousand yards of fill free of cost. At the same time the fill was being hauled in, the contractor, M. DeMatteo Construction Company of Quincy had a bulldozer here to push the fill back and to see that the trucks did not get stuck. He also leveled the fill that the Highway Department hauled in, cleared out brush and made us a road through the woods: an estimated amount of thirty-two hundred dollars worth of bulldozer work, and this was at no cost to the Town. This fill is to be used as a base. There will be a depth of about five feet of good fill to go over this base.

About four thousand dollars worth of gravel and loam was purchased for grading purposes. Shrubs were purchased and planted in new areas. The Highway Department continues to haul excess fill to our fill projects

The Parks, the Common and the Town Beach were maintained as usual. The diamond at the Town Park has been renovated. The Highway grader was used to cut all the sod from the area. An amount of sand and loam was hauled in and will be rototilled and graded in the spring of 1969. The Town purchased a new sixty-foot aluminum flag pole which was placed in the center of the Common.

Sincere thanks is extended to all Town Officials and Departments for their cooperation and assistance during the year.

# Public Buildings Department

To the Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Wilmington, I respectfully submit my fifth annual report on behalf of the Public Buildings Department.

The two tennis courts located at North Intermediate and Boutwell Schools were completed in the spring of 1968 in time for the start of the tennis season. They are now flooded and are being used for ice skating.

The Town Park softball lighting system was installed by the department and electrical contractor as per vote of the Annual Town Meeting. The project was completed on October 13, 1968.

Construction was started on the addition to the Highway Garage in October of 1968 and work progressed until December 23, 1968, when the weather forced us to halt laying cement block. The addition will be completed in the spring of 1969.

Throughout the year the department has carried on the continuous work of cleaning, painting and repairing the plant facilities of the various Town-owned buildings. All boilers and burners were overhauled and inspected as per regulations.

The department took control of the Woburn Street School addition in February 1968. This addition doubled the size of the building and required an extra custodian to bring the staff up to the level of three.

In conclusion, on behalf of the department I would like to thank the various employees and Town officials for the cooperation extended in the year 1968.



New Industrial Expansion

# Board of Health

## Board of Health

Mr. James Durkee, Chairman  
Mrs. Marion Boylen  
Mr. Joseph Paglia

## Personnel

Ernest F. Romano, M.S.P.H., R.S. Director  
Anne Butters, R.N., Public Health Nurse  
Mrs. Eleanor Hovey, Dental Hygienist  
Abbie McQuaid, R.N., Public Health Nurse  
Gerald Fagan, M.D., Public Health Physician  
Simon Cutter, Legal Consultant  
William Harrison, Plumbing Inspector  
Ernest F. Romano, Slaughtering Inspector  
Joseph Balestrieri, Inspector of Animals

Measles was the target for final eradication in Massachusetts in 1968. The measles program started during 1967 was completed this year. 19,512 cases of measles were reported in Massachusetts in 1965 compared with approximately 400 cases in 1968.

A Tuberculin Testing Program was conducted in the schools in a continued attempt to identify sources of tuberculosis infection. A total of 725 children in grades 1 and 9 were tested with all negative results.

During the year, an afternoon pre-school immunization clinic was started. The attendance however has been disappointing.

In January of 1968 a mumps vaccine was licensed. In accordance with the recommendations of the American Academy of Pediatrics and other official health agencies, grades 7, 8, and 9 were given the mumps vaccine. During three clinics a total of 323 doses of the vaccine was given. It is anticipated that the mumps vaccine will be made available to other age groups in 1969.

In December of 1967 a new law went into effect, making immunizations of whooping cough, diphtheria, tetanus, polio and measles mandatory upon entering school. During 1968 three clinics were held for grades 1 thru 8 to make available the necessary immunizations.

## A. COMMUNICABLE DISEASE CONTROL

### 1. Monthly Immunization Clinic

In September an afternoon clinic was started. The Public Health Nurses administered the immunization

	<u>1967</u>	<u>1968</u>
Attendance	397	508

### 2. Smallpox Clinic

Attendance	65	77
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### 3. Anti-Rabies Clinic

The Board held the dog immunization clinic for protection against rabies in May. The clinic, with the increased incidence of rabies in some neighboring states, has taken on added significance.

Dogs Immunized	609
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### 4. Measles Clinic

The measles vaccine was given to those children in grades 1 to 8 who either did not have the disease nor had been previously immunized.

Doeses given in schools	64
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5. <u>Diphtheria-Tetanus Clinic</u>		
Doses given in schools		73
6. <u>Tine Test Clinic</u>		
Grades 1 and 9 were tested for tuberculosis		
Children tested		725
Negative reaction to tuberculosis		725
7. <u>Mumps Clinics</u>		
The mumps vaccine was made available to the children in grades 7, 8 and 9.		
Clinics held		3
Children immunized		323
8. <u>Tuberculosis Control</u>		
Total number active cases on register 12/31/68		10
Number of patients hospitalized as of 12/31/68		0
Deaths reported		1
Home visits		70
Visits to hospital		13
Hospitalization costs - T.B. patients		\$3,135.30
9. <u>Project Headstart</u>		
The Board for the fourth year offered their services to Project Headstart. Dental facilities were made available. Physical examinations and immunizations were given to the children in the program.		

#### B. PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

1. <u>Premature Births</u>		
Number reported		24
Home visits		29
Deaths		6
Financial assistance required by law		\$393.87
2. <u>Day Care Centers</u>		
Number licensed		3
3. <u>Morbidity Service</u>		
Nursing visits		587
Fees collected		\$75.00
4. <u>General Health Visits</u>		462
5. <u>Newborn Infants</u>		
Home visits		192

#### C. DENTAL PROGRAM

1. Children serviced in school		890
Home visits		88

#### D. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

1. <u>Plumbing</u>			
Permits issued		<u>1967</u>	<u>1968</u>
		148	152
Fees collected		\$1,181.50	\$1,504.00

D. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH (continued)

2. Licenses and Permits

Sewerage permits	206
Food permits	50
Milk (vehicle)	15
Milk (store)	33
Recreational camps	2
Day care centers	3
Piggeries	7
Funeral Directing	2
Ice Cream Mfg. (retail)	3
Refuse transportation	35
Stable permits	9
Installer's permits	8
Fees totaled	\$1,572.50

3. Sewage Disposal Sanitation

A total of 205 permits were issued in 1968. Installers of sewerage systems are now required to pass an exam and obtain an installer's permit.

Old dwellings	60
New dwellings	131
Commercial	6
Industrial	8

	1967	1968
Investigations and Final Inspections	485	577

4. Milk Sanitation

Dairy Licenses	15
Stores licensed to sell milk	33
Samples analyzed	12
Dairy inspections out of town	3

5. Refuse Disposal

The Board successfully negotiated a contract for the dump for twenty-four thousand dollars. There was no increase in the contract cost over the previous year. The contract is for a period of a year. The Board of Health has advised that alternative dump sites be explored in order to be prepared for any future contingency.

6. Garbage Disposal

There were no significant changes related to garbage collections in 1968. The garbage contract expires in April 1969. The Board held some preliminary talks with the contractor on the forthcoming contract. These showed that there would be substantial increases in the next contract.

7. Food Sanitation

The Board continued their efforts during the year to maintain a fairly high standard of sanitation in the local food establishments. Approximately \$20,000 worth of food was condemned during the year. Some foods from mobile canteens have been confiscated and discarded for failure to comply with the sanitary code.

During 1968, the Divisions of Food and Drug promulgated new comprehensive grocery store regulations that must be enforced by local Boards of Health. All food facilities licensed by the Selectmen were inspected at their request.

Food Permits issued	50
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8. Subdivisions

Two subdivisions were approved during the year. Consisting of a total of 53 lots. Sixteen (16) lots within the subdivisions were not approved pending adjustments of the lots.

D. ENVIROMENTAL HEALTH (continued)

9. Legal Matters

The Board retained Mr. Simon Cutter as legal counsel in 1968. Appearances were made in the Fourth District Court relative to laundry waste being discharged onto the surface of the ground and for violations of the Sanitary Code.

Legal fees amounted to \$700.00

10. Complaints

A total of 364 complaints were registered with the Board of Health during the course of the year. Complaints generally fall within the category of sewage, rubbish, garbage and odors. The Board attempts to solve all complaints brought to its attention.

11. Water Supply

The Board of Health maintained its laboratory during the year. This involves sterilizing and preparation of various media, working and sterilizing of equipment, and the keeping of records. Expenditures for laboratory equipment were kept to a bare minimum.

	<u>1967</u>	<u>1968</u>
Samples analyzed	70	72

12. Recreation Area Sanitation

Samples of water were collected during the bathing season at Baby Beach and Public Beach at Silver Lake. Swimming water standards were maintained during the 1968 season.

Drinking water was also tested at the two private recreation areas in Town, as well as surveys conducted of other sanitary facilities within the recreation sites.

	<u>1967</u>	<u>1968</u>
Swimming water samples collected	11	12

13. Inspector of Animals

During the year the Town Manager officially assigned the Inspector of Animals to the Board of Health. All special work assigned to the Animal Inspector by the Department of Livestock Disease Control and the Board of Health was attended to promptly.

Animal bites reported	91
Animals showing signs of rabies	0
Animals submitted to laboratory for examination	5
Animals quarantined	82
Animals released from quarantine	82
Premises keeping domestic animals inspected	41

14. Slaughtering Inspector

No slaughtering in Town 1968

No calls for personal livestock slaughtering

The Board extends its sincere thanks to the school nurses for their assistance during the year in the various clinics.

They wish to thank St. Thomas Church for their generous use of Villanova Hall.

# Board of Appeals

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
Case #1-68 Raymond & Alberta Ashworth (J. Goodman, Agent)	For a variance to establish a repair garage for vehicles in use in accordance with Section III-3, B-3, of the Zoning By-Laws.	Denied
Case #2-68 Elizabeth McDevitt	For a variance to convert a single family dwelling into a two family dwelling	Granted
Case #3-68 Albert P. Rounds	For a variance on a parcel of land fronting Sewall Road and Sheridan Road having insufficient frontage, depth and area to obtain a building permit.	Forfeited
Case #4-68 Fructuoso Carrasco (Town of Wilmington) F. Jackson, Agent	For a variance on three parcels of land on Adams Street each having sufficient frontage and area but insufficient depth to obtain a building permit.	Granted
Case #5-68 James & Marg. Cavvillo	For a variance to divide a lot on Taft Road into two lots. Each lot having sufficient depth but insufficient frontage and area and obtain building permits thereon.	Granted
Case #6-68 Magee Construction Co.	On the appeal of Magee Construction Co., Inc. of Arlington by the order or decision of the Building Inspector suspending the building permits for Lots 1 and 2 on Andover Street in accordance with Chapter 40A, Sections 13, 14, 16 and 17 of the General Laws.	Denied
Case #7-68 Henry & Sarah Flight	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on the corner of Shawsheen Avenue and Carter Lane into two lots. One lot having existing dwelling with sufficient frontage but insufficient depth and area and the other lot having sufficient frontage but insufficient depth and area to obtain a building permit.	Granted
Case #8-68 Bernard & Elinor Restuccia W. Prawlucki, Agent	For a variance to erect a sign on their premises on Main Street, across from Clark Street.	Forfeited
Case #9-68 Joseph & Salvatore Leto, Adamian Construction Co.	For a variance to erect a truck terminal at 150 Ballardvale Street.	Denied
Case #10-69 John Lucci	For a variance to erect a sign on premises at 211 Lowell Street.	Granted

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #11-68</u> N.H. Fitzgerald Corp.	For a variance to erect signs on premises at 285 Main Street.	Denied
<u>Case #12-68</u> John Lucci	For a variance to install an incinerator in the rear of premises at 211 Lowell Street.	Granted
<u>Case #13-68</u> Henry Hyder, Jr.	For a variance to erect signs on premises at 273 Main Street.	Granted
<u>Case #14-68</u> George Morey & John E. Deloury	For a variance to subdivide a parcel of land on Andover Street into two lots, each having sufficient frontage and area but insufficient depth according to Section V-5 of the Zoning By-Laws and to remove earth products in excess of the amount required for the normal construction of a dwelling and accessory uses.	Granted (partially) Denied (partially)
<u>Case #15-68</u> Anthony & Valerie Grenier	For a variance to erect a carport closer to the lot line than permitted by Section V-V-1 of the Zoning By-Laws.	Denied
<u>Case #16-68</u> Hayden Mica Co., Inc.	For a variance to erect a sign on premises at 645 Main Street within the required yard area.	Granted
<u>Case #17-68</u> George DiFranco	For a variance to erect a dwelling on Park Street closer to the lot line than permitted by Section V-V-I of the Zoning By-Laws.	Granted
<u>Case #18-68</u> Bernard & Elinor Restuccia	For a variance to erect signs on premises on Main Street opposite the Wilmington Plaza Shopping Center.	Granted
<u>Case #19-68</u> Harvey Skolnick	For a variance to erect a sign on building at 279 Main Street.	Granted
<u>Case #20-68</u> Parker E. Hodgdon	For a variance to erect a garage closer to the lot line than permitted by Section V-V-I of the Zoning By-Laws.	Granted
<u>Case #21-68</u> Carrie E. Kelley	For a variance to erect an addition closer to the lot line than permitted by Section V-V-I of the Zoning By-Laws and Division 9, Section 13 of the Building By-Laws.	Denied
<u>Case #22-68</u> George J. Webber	For a variance to erect a garage and breezeway closer to the lot line than permitted by Section V-V-I of the Zoning By-Laws.	Granted
<u>Case #23-68</u> Christian & Viola Berglund	For a variance on a parcel of land on Tobin Drive having sufficient frontage but insufficient depth and area to obtain a building permit.	Granted
<u>Case #24-68</u> Allan D. Campbell	For a variance to erect an addition within the required front yard area.	Granted
<u>Case #25-68</u> Leonard J. Richard	To install an above-ground swimming pool within the required side and rear yard areas.	Granted
<u>Case #26-68</u> Joseph & Andrew Vadala	To erect an awning within the required front yard area.	Denied

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
Case #27-68 Timothy D. Sullivan	For a variance on a lot on Aldrich Road, having sufficient frontage but insufficient depth and area to obtain a building permit.	Granted
Case #28-68 Town of Wilmington	To erect an addition to the Highway Garage.	Granted
Case #29-68 Brewster Building Material Company, Inc.	To erect a building without non-combustible partitions, as required by Division, Section 1, of the Building By-Laws.	Granted
Case #30-68 Smithcraft Corporation	To erect a sign closer to the lot line than allowed by the Zoning By-Laws.	Denied
Case #31-68 Albert P. Rounds	For a variance on a lot on Sheridan Road having sufficient depth and area but insufficient frontage to obtain a building permit.	Forfeited
Case #32-68 Joseph & Patricia Toto	For a variance on a lot on Emerson Street having insufficient frontage, depth and area to obtain a building permit.	Granted
Case #33-68 Diamond Crystal Salt Co.	For a variance to use a dwelling in a SRA Zone for the storage of office supplies and records.	Granted
Case #34-68 Leonard Barbo	To erect a chimney on a building on Fordham Road above the height limitations as set forth by the Zoning and Building By-Laws.	Granted
Case #35-68 Jackson Brothers, Inc.	For a variance to obtain building permits on six (6) lots on Sheldon Street having insufficient depth and area according to the Zoning By-Laws.	Granted
Case #36-68 Charles A. Lawson	To divide a parcel of land on Marion Street into four lots each having sufficient frontage and area but insufficient depth as measured according to Section V-5 of the Zoning By-Laws and obtain building permits thereon.	Granted
Case #37-68 William Story	For a variance to erect an above-ground swimming pool closer to the rear lot line than allowed by the Zoning By-Laws.	Granted
Case #38-68 Allan D. MacMullin	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Kirk Street into two lots each having insufficient frontage, depth and area to obtain a building permit thereon.	Granted
Case #39-68 Thomas M. Quinn	On the appeal from a decision by the Building Inspector of the Town of Wilmington denying a building permit for the open storage of sand, gravel and stone on a parcel of land located in an Industrial District known as Lot 2, Main Street (being shown as Assessor's Map 42, part of Lot 25) under an application filed by Thomas Quinn.	Denied
Case #40-68 Richard F. Cushing	For a variance to conduct a motor vehicle salvage business in a SRA Zone.	Denied

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
Case #41-68 Kings Jewelry & Gifts	For a variance to erect a sign in a General Business District.	Granted
Case #42-68 Thomas E. & Lillian M. Cavanaugh	For a variance to subdivide a parcel of land on Forest Street - corner of Elwood Road into three lots, one lot having insufficient depth and area, and to obtain building permits thereon.	Granted
Case #43-68 Robert M. Huntley d/b/a Huntley's American Hardware	For a variance to erect a sign in a General Business District.	Forfeited
Case #44-68 Mary Calandrello	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Main Street into two lots each having insufficient frontage and depth and to obtain building permits thereon.	Granted
Case #45-68 Smithcraft Corporation	For a variance to erect a temporary sign on Lot 23, Industrial Way.	Granted
Case #46-68 George O. & Lena M. Simard	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Aldrich Road into two lots, one lot having insufficient frontage and obtain a building permit thereon.	Pending
Case #47-68 Philip C. Geoffrion	For a variance from the Zoning and Building By-Laws to erect a garage of third class construction (wood frame) within the required front and side yard.	Granted
Case #48-68 David R. Tuxbury	For a variance to erect a dwelling at 340 Woburn Street within the required side yard.	Pending
Case #49-68 A. E. Realty Corporation	For a variance to erect a sign within the required front yard area.	Pending
Case #50-68 Paul Peters	For a variance from the Zoning and Building By-Laws to erect a garage of third class construction (wood frame) within the required front and side yard.	Denied
Case #51-68 Brewsters of Massachusetts	For a variance to erect a sign within the required front yard area.	Forfeited
Case #52-68 Jackson Brothers, Inc.	For a variance to erect a one-car garage on Adams Street closer to the side lot line than allowed by the Zoning By-Law.	Granted
Case #53-68 Earl R. & Virginia Baker	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Lawn Street into two lots, one lot having insufficient frontage than required by the Zoning By-Law.	Granted
Case #54-68 Unique Trust	For a variance to use land in an SRB District as a parking lot in connection with their business on Main Street.	Forfeited
Case #55-68 Randall L. Kroken	For a variance to retain a garage at King Street having insufficient side yard according to the Zoning By-Law, and not complying with Division 15, Sections 3 and 4 of the Building By-Laws.	Withdrawn
Case #56-68 Dominic & Carol Buonarosa	For a variance to build an addition to a two-family dwelling located at 100 Salem Street.	Granted

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #57-68</u> John R. Ricci	For a variance to erect a garage on Strout Avenue within the required side yard.	Granted
<u>Case #58-68</u> Marie Mason	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Bancroft Street into two lots, each lot having insufficient frontage and area and obtain a building permit thereon.	Granted
<u>Case #59-68</u> Luther M. Child	For a variance to erect a sign at 8 Oakwood Road (Silver Lake Shopping Center, also known as 52 Main Street).	Pending

## Recreation Commission

The Recreation Commission hereby submits its annual report for consideration: -

There has been a growing trend on the part of the residents in Wilmington, in support of planning and development of recreational programs and facilities. This past year many individuals and groups have met, made suggestions, and offered support for program improvement. In cooperation with these groups, the commission has increased its meeting sessions so that all may be heard.

In addition to the regular accepted programs being offered, the installation of lights at the town park will make it possible for increased programs. This year also saw Wilmington's first Recreation Tennis Tournament which was highly successful, due to the assistance of volunteer workers under the direction of Mr. Ken Lyons, and Mr. Norm Pederson.

Ice Skating and Ice Hockey facilities are much in demand, and to this end practice sessions for beginners have been held at the Andover Rink each Sunday afternoon, three tennis courts are being made available in the town, and lights have been installed at the Town Beach for late evening skating for all the members of the family.

The Recreation Commission has been working on budget requests which will include program improvements and additional activities such as flag football, tennis instruction, girls softball, additional playground areas, and night softball and football.

# Permanent Building Committee

The Permanent Building Committee of the Town of Wilmington, consisting of Robert B. Michelson, Chairman, Raymond G. McClure, Secretary, William R. Harrison, John M. Callan and Lionel M. Baldwin, respectfully submits its Annual Report for the year 1968.

Considerable activity and progress was made during the year 1968 toward the fulfillment of the building program for the Town of Wilmington. The addition to the Woburn Street School, consisting of 15 classrooms, library, gymnasium, and other specialized rooms and areas was completed and occupied in January.

The Permanent Building Committee, acting in conjunction with its architectural consultant and the Board of Library Trustees, formulated final plans for the new Wilmington Memorial Library. Upon the opening of bids, the contract for construction of the building was awarded to the low bidder, A. T. Scanzillo Company, on April 8, 1968. Construction was commenced immediately, and the target date for completion is the end of February 1969.

The Annual Town Meeting approved revised plans and specifications for the proposed Shawsheen Avenue School which plans were prepared by the Permanent Building Committee, working in conjunction with its architectural consultant, the Superintendent of Schools and the School Committee. General bids opened on August 29, 1968 were in excess of the appropriation and an additional sum was voted at a Special Town Meeting on September 30, 1968 enabling the contract to be awarded to the low bidder M. Spinelli & Sons Company. Actual construction of the new elementary school consisting of twenty-two classrooms, cafeteria, library, gymnasium, and other specialized rooms and areas on the twenty acre site is now underway.

The Permanent Building Committee extends its sincere thanks to the Town Officials, both elective and appointed, and to the townspeople for their support and assistance during this past year.



Storm Drain Construction

# Jury List

(\* Indicates Married Woman)  
(Revised - August 1, 1968)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RESIDENCE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
Allen, Frankline E.	86 Burlington Avenue	Underwriter
*Allgrove, Evelyn F.	311 Middlesex Avenue	At home
Atamian, Harry N.	14 Hathaway Road	Designer
*Babine, Hermiline	14 Parker Street	Cafeteria Worker
Barrett, Eric P.	44 Boutwell Street	Lathe Hand
Barrows, Lloyd E.	106 Lake Street	Quality Control Foreman
Beardsley, Charles R.	49 Lawrence Street	Adm. Clerk
Belbin, Wilson J.	Morse Avenue	Carpenter & Builder
*Bemis, Mary M.	133 Grove Avenue	Housewife
*Billings, Fay E.	21 Strout Avenue	Housewife
Bloom, Melvin I.	54 North Street	Program Manager
Bousfield, Marjorie	28 Aldrich Road	Demonstrator
*Boyle, Dorothy B.	39 Birchwood Road	Shirt Operator
Boylen, George W.	22 Williams Avenue	Retired
Braciska, John J.	29 Moore Street	Wholesale Salesman
Bradford, Milton L. Jr.	12 Dorothy Avenue	Insurance & Claims Examiner
Bradley, William A.	1 Frederick Drive	Computer Programmer
*Brennan, Ruth M.	430 Middlesex Avenue	Housewife
*Bright, Helen C.	4 Lockwood Road	Cafeteria Worker
*Browne, Helen B.	42 Middlesex Avenue	Clerk
Browne, John P.	42 Middlesex Avenue	Salesman
Buck, Mildred H.	295 Woburn Street	Ass't. to Sales Manager
Buckle, Thomas G.	80 Church Street	Salesman
Buczynski, Michael A.	14 Marcia Road	Sr. Mech. Research Eng.
Bull, Jane A.	38 Burlington Avenue	Cafeteria Worker
*Burke, Dorothy A.	10 Westdale Avenue	Telephone Operator
Burke, John J.	30 Sheridan Road	Bus Driver
Burns, Shirley L.	205 Middlesex Avenue	Part-time Clerk & Stenographer
*Butterworth, Dorothy J.	5 Grace Drive	Housewife
Campbell, John R.	29 Hobson Avenue	Trace Clerk
Carlson, Josephine J.	13 Main Street	Bookkeeper
Carter, John E.	15 Railroad Avenue	Display Man
Cassidy, Stanley B. Jr.	16 Burt Road	Meat Cutter
Chapman, Lowell E.	12 Woodland Drive	Special Agent
*Chislett, Hazel Jane	20 Oakdale Road	Housewife
*Christopher, Mary C.	8 Pinewood Road	Housewife
Clark, George E.	1 Chandler Road	Warehouse Superintendent
Connelly, John Clark	12 Westdale Avenue	Pipefitter
Corcoran, John W.	63 Aldrich Road	Elec. Maintenance Supervisor
Curran, Patrick T.	2 Evans Drive	General Foreman
Curtis, Edward J.	156 Andover Street	Lecture Assistant
Dalton, Walter J.	48 Grove Avenue	Machinist Inspector
Danico, George W.	7 Wilson Street	Truck Driver
Daniell, Lawrence L.	11 Kiernan Avenue	Shipper Receiver
Davidson, William J.	19 Gunderson Road	Ass't. Purchasing Agent
Dawson, James F. Sr.	65 Glen Road	Credit Manager
*Dayton, Barbara M.	214 Burlington Avenue	Housewife

JURY LIST: (continued)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RESIDENCE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
Dayton, William P.	214 Burlington Avenue	Design Engineer Mgr.
DeLisle, Ralph F.	15 Belmont Avenue	Supt. of Bldgs. & Grounds
DiBella, Charles E.	23 High Street	Management Member
Dindo, Louis A.	19 Roberts Road	Senior Mech. Eng.
*Dinsmore, Priscilla A.	4 Coolidge Road	Sales & Alteration
DiRupo, Louis J.	14 Redwood Terrace	Regional Analyst
*Elfman, Irene B.	66 Lawrence Street	Self-employed
*Ellis, Evelyn T.	17 Oakdale Road	Housewife
*Epstein, Jeannette	24 Roberts Road	Housewife
Espinola, Robert M.	40 High Street	Supervisor
Ferrera, Pasquale	10 Woodland Drive	Mech. Tech. Supervisor
Foberg, Charles A.	5 Strout Avenue	Appraiser
*Foberg, Dorothy V.	5 Strout Avenue	Ins. Acct. Supervisor
Forest, Raymond G.	27 Moore Street	Prod. Manager
*Forrest, Marion C.	4 Baland Road	Housewife
Fosgate, Fred C.	126 Burlington Avenue	Executive Assistant
Foster, Lawrence O.	8 Marcia Road	Supr. of Metrology Lab.
Fugere, Noel O.	25 Grace Drive	Sr. Systems Engineer
*Fuller, Margaret M.	87 Nichols St.	Office Manager
Fuller, Roland M.	25 Adams Street	Iron Worker
Gallagher, Joseph D.	2 West Street	Foreman
Garland, Ralph	2 Muse Avenue	Electrician Leader
Gilbert, Charles N.	13 Church Street	Tool and Die Maker
Gouvea, John Jr.	33 Woburn Street	Chief Engineer
Graves, Louis G.	111 Butters Row	Salesman & Estimator
Haas, Henry J.	6 River Street	Assembler of Dairy Machinery
Hadfield, John E.	1 Strout Avenue	Senior Quality Engineer
*Hale, Ruth E.	31 Glen Road	Housewife - Secretary
Hale, Walter, Jr.	31 Glen Road	Precision Grinder
Hamilton, Elsie P.	10 Sprucewood Road	Accounts Receivable
Hamilton, Frank A.	33 Lawrence Street	Structural Engineer
*Harding, Ruth M.	3 Marie Drive	Assistant Librarian
Herman, Kurt F.	343 Salem Street	Eng. Cost Analyst
Hill, Donald B.	74 Salem Street	Maintenance Supervisor
Hillier, Raymond F.	109 Glen Road	Lithograph Artist
Hillson, Arthur W.	5 Lloyd Road	Woodworker, carpenter
Holloway, John E.	35 Oakdale Road	Credit Manager
Holmes, Arthur E.	5 Kidder Place	Serviceman on Burglar, Alarms
Hooper, William G., Jr.	34 Marcia Road	Senior Engineer
Hoyt, Frank L.	70 Glen Road	Retired
*Huntley, Virginia E.	109 Burlington Avenue	N.E. Tel. & Tel.
Janes, John W.	3 Strout Avenue	Banker, Mrg. Systems
Jennings, Robert E.	4 Moore Street	Procedures Analyst
Justice, George W.	55 Chestnut Street	Machine Repairman
Kalkanajian, John	1 Pilling Road	Designer
Kaminski, Walter J.	23 Fairmeadow Road	Supr. Financial Forecasting
*Keen, Irene M.	21 Westdale Avenue	Housewife
*Kenney, Ruth A.	83 Middlesex Avenue	At home
Keough, William L.	18 Marcus Road	Salesman
Kilroy, George L.	298 Salem Street	Grade A, Serviceman
*Kydd, Margaret E.	32 Shady Lane Drive	At home
Lacey, Thomas A.	93A West Street	Carpenter
Landry, Charles A.	103 Middlesex Avenue	Machine Operator
Laughton, Rodney E.	31 Adams Street	Field Engineer
Lawler, Walter A.	15 Swain Road	Project Electro-Mech. Tech.
Leavitt, Kenneth	4 Pleasant Street	Route Foreman
*Lowe, Anna M.	585 Woburn Street	Housewife
Lowell, William R.	4 Carolyn Road	Supr. Am. Tel. & Tel.
*Lyons, Shirley M.	94 Andover Street	Housewife

# JURY LIST:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RESIDENCE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
MacKinnon, William D. Jr.	5 Moore Street	Systems Officer
MacLeod, Gladys	8 High Street	At Home
*Marshall, Mary T.	32 Adams Street	Housewife
*Matonis, Helen	40 Fairmeadow Road	Stitcher
Mathews, Robert J.	7 Redwood Terrace	Machinist Trainee
Maxwell, Robert L.	2 Massachusetts Avenue	Ironworker Foreman
*McAndrews, Mary E.	11 Williams Avenue	Housewife
McCabe, Robert W.	403 Woburn Street	Equipment Maintenance
*McCarthy, Marilyn K.	14 Birchwood Road	Switchboard Operator
McEvoy, Frederick	7 Kiernan Avenue	Gen. Mechanical Supr.
McLane, Charles	252 Middlesex Avenue	Receiver
McNamara, Walter J.	8 Kenwood Avenue	Controller
Miselis, Victor W.	154 Federal Street	Aeronautical Engineer
Mitrano, Salvatore	11 Marion Street	Maintenance
Montgomery, J. Leonard	184 Woburn Street	Staff Engineer
Mobre, Eric E.	35 Concord Street	Metal Pattern Maker
*Moore, Annie	20 Westdale Avenue	Housewife
Mosher, George A.	6 Sheldon Avenue	Printed Cir. & Layout & Design
Muise, John A.	99 West Street	Punch Press Set-up
Noel, Clarence G.	6 Glenview Road	Unemployed
Norton, Augustus T. Jr.	204 Wildwood Street	Eng. Aide
*O'Brien, Nora A.	39 Adams Street	Information Operator
O'Connor, Alfred T.	2 Canal Street	Independent Insurance Agent
Pendergast, Thomas J.	17 Birchwood Road	Meat Handler
Peterson, Catherine B.	119 Grove Avenue	At Home
Piscatelli, Michael D.	4 Strout Avenue	Automotive Center Manager
*Powers, Mary M.	115 Grove Avenue	Housewife
Quinn, John J. Jr.	522 Woburn Street	Chief Ind. Engineer
*Ring, Audrey F.	277 Middlesex Avenue	Clerk
Roberts, Kenneth H.	10 Lee Street	Embossing Operator
Rogers, Walter A.	24 Shady Lane Drive	Assembler of Shoe Machines
Romanski, Edmund S.	4 Wedgewood Avenue	Engr. Tech.
Ross, Ethel Mary	96 Grove Avenue	Typist
Russell, William H.	10 Wildwood Street	Ass't. to Dept. Manager
Sampson, Raymond Jr.	1 Fairmeadow Road	General Foreman
Sanchez, Albert A.	76 Salem Street	Project Engineer
Sargent, Alan H.	41 Shady Lane Drive	Wholesale Milkman
Sargent, David J. Jr.	2 Marcus Road	Mechanical Engineer
Scruton, H. Kent	31 Moore Street	Ass't. to Dir. of Adm.
*Seitz, Eloise B.	711 Woburn Street	Sec. and Ass't. to Purch. Agent
Silva, Edward F.	65 West Street	Airlines
*Spiris, Cecily Denell	6 Truman Road	Housewife
Sugrue, Arthur William	39 Marcus Road	Quality Control Aide
Taylor, John E.	7 Woodland Drive	Ind. Salesman
Varley, Arthur E.	13 Shady Lane Drive	Buyer of Aircraft Eng. supplies
*Varley, Madeline L.	13 Shady Lane Drive	Cafeteria Worker
Vitale, Felice P.	715 Woburn Street	Machinist
Walkling, Frederick A.	8 Moore Street	Mechanic
Washburn, Paul R.	20 Ballardvale Street	Ass't. Advt. Manager
Weed, John E.	22 Cunningham Street	Maint. of Elec. Equip.
Welling, James	12 Fay Street	Store Planner & Engineer
Wicks, Theodore R.	14 Gunderson Road	Ther. Prod. Supervisor
*Woodbury, Lois C.	16 Roberts Road	Cashier
Woods, Joseph H. Jr.	191 Wildwood Street	Letter Carrier
Wright, Robert B.	7 Hathaway Road	Elec. Contractor
Yetman, Robert K.	234 Shawsheen Avenue	Regional Engineer
Zimmerman, Earl W.	7 Charlotte Road	Electronics
Zwahlen, Robert C.	13 Moore Street	Truck Driver
Zwicker, Ralph M. Jr.	4 Davis Road	Method Planner, Jet Eng.
Zwicker, Ronald E.	Kelley Road	Grinder

# Conservation Commission

This is the fifth annual report of the Wilmington Conservation Commission. During 1968, in keeping with our objectives of safekeeping, maintaining, and improving the town's natural resources, we present the following highlights of our activities.

1. Work was started on improvement of the Town Park area. Mr. Frank Tuttle is in the process of classifying wildflowers and other plants and selecting areas for preservation, for nature studies, and paths. With the assistance of Mr. Tuttle and Boy Scouts from Troops 56 and 63, the Commission cleared five truck loads of trash and litter from the park. The trucks were donated by the Highway and Water Departments.
2. Signs have been made to be erected in the spring; a large one for the Town Park and others for Conservation Commission controlled areas in town.
3. We again sponsored two Wilmington boys to attend the Massachusetts Junior Conservation Camp in July. The camp provides instruction in water and soil conservation, forestry and wildlife management, use of firearms, fishing, and small boat handling for boys 14 to 17.
4. As a part of our annual planting program, we provided several Weeping Willows which were planted last spring at the West Intermediate School.
5. Under the sponsorship of the Commission, the Massachusetts Audubon Society presented two programs in Wilmington this year; one on water pollution for the Scouts, and one on the Monarch Butterfly for Mr. Ambrose's elementary school district.
6. The Conservation Commission supported the passage of the Inlands Wetlands Bill by attending hearings and correspondence with our State legislators.
7. During the past year, the Commission strengthened their relationships with the other town boards, particularly the Planning Board and Recreation Commission, and met with the elementary school principals for discussions on Conservation Education.
8. A questionnaire relating to town opinion on Conservation matters was prepared for circulation the first part of 1969.



New Homes

# Housing Authority

## ORGANIZATION:

The Wilmington Housing Authority is authorized by the General Laws, Chapter 121, Section 26K, as amended.

## MEMBERS:

James P. Donahue, Chairman  
 Wilson J. Belbin, Vice Chairman  
 M. Flora Kasabuski, Secretary  
 Ernest M. Crispo, Treasurer  
 Earl W. Zimmerman, Asst. Treasurer and Representative of State Housing Board.

## STATUTORY REFERENCE:

1. Housing Authority Law: Section 26I to 26JJJ inclusive, of Chapter 121 of the General Laws, as amended.
2. Act to provide Housing for Elderly Persons of Low Income: Chapter 667 of the Acts of 1954, as amended.

## HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY:

Location - Deming Way.....Number of Units - 40...Rent - \$48 per month. Requirements for occupancy of these units is that a person must be sixty-five (65) years of age or over, of low income and in need of good housing.

The forty units have been kept fully occupied. Four (4) vacancies occurred during the year, all were filled immediately without loss of income.

## BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1968

<u>ASSETS</u>			
Petty Cash		20.00	
Administration Funds		1,374.08	
Mechanics Savings Bank		19,667.77	
Prepaid Insurance		194.68	
Development Cost --	\$575,000.00		
Liquidated	61,000.00	<u>514,000.00</u>	<u>535,256.53</u>
 <u>LIABILITIES</u>			
Matured Interest & Principal		98.32 (cr.)	
Debt Service Reserve		13,300.00	
Operating Reserve		8,345.92	
Bonds Authorized --	\$575,000.00		
Less Notes Retired	61,000.00	<u>514,000.00</u>	<u>535,547.60</u>
Operating Deficit \$291.07			
Totals			\$535,256.53

## Veteran's Agent

The Wilmington Veterans' Agent respectfully submits his annual report for the year 1968. Paul A. Farrell, Veterans' Agent and Mrs. Julia Meads, Secretary.

Veterans' Services is governed by the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 115, with strict compliance to this chapter, the rules and policies of which govern the disbursement of aid.

Benefits are for the needy veteran and his immediate family who have been subjected to unforeseen needs. Final approval of benefits comes from the Commissioner of Veterans' Services, Boston, Massachusetts.

The appropriation for 1968 was \$50,000, as voted at the annual Town Meeting.

Total expended for aid to Veterans and their families was \$68,694.57. In August \$10,000 was transferred to Veterans' Services from the Reserve Fund and again, in October, \$8,000 was transferred to Veterans' Services from the Reserve Fund as a result of department requests to the Finance Committee. The original department request prior to Town Meeting was for \$60,000. Total reimbursements from settled assignments on accident cases amounted to \$2,166.50; of this amount, because 50% is shared by the Town, the Town's share is \$1,083.25. The total amount has been turned over to the Town Treasurer, and the Commonwealth has been notified so adjustment of any monies can be made before State reimbursements to the Town.

Case load has increased, as has the Town's population increased. Also, this department is now aiding returning Vietnam veterans.

## Redevelopment Authority

The Wilmington Redevelopment Authority is proud to announce that it has completed its portion of the Planning Study.

However, because it is the desire at all times to cooperate with other Town Boards and Committees, we are now engaged in a separate study of the feasibility of Land Assembly only.

We wish to thank all those involved for their splendid cooperation during this past year.

# Accepted Streets

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Feet</u>	<u>Date (s) Accepted</u>
Adams Street	Middlesex Avenue	Parker Street		4600	3-02-08
Aldrich Road	Shawsheen Avenue	Billerica Line	1.2		11-06-94
Andover Street	Salem Street	Andover Line	2.3		11-06-94
Anthony Avenue	Salem Street	Catherine Avenue			10-03-66
Arlene Avenue	Salem Street	Dorothy Avenue			10-03-66
Auburn Avenue	Shawsheen Avenue			800	3-12-45
Ayotte Street	Westdale Avenue	Crest Avenue		240	3-10-47
Baker Street	Brand Avenue			700	3-12-45
Ballardvale Street	Salem Street	Andover Line	2.7		11-06-94
Bancroft Street	Liberty Street	B & M RR.		400	3-17-52
Beacon Street	Church Street	Belmont Avenue		1000	3-01-15
Beech Street	Burlington Avenue	Byron Street		1000	3-10-47
Beeching Avenue	Cunningham Street	Faulkner Avenue		450	3-14-59
Belmont Avenue	Columbia Street	State Street		1000	3-03-33
Birchwood Road	Judith Road	Short Street		1550	3-17-52
Boutwell Street	Aldrich Road	Burlington Avenue	0.8		11-06-94
Brand Avenue	Bridge Lane	Baker Street		2370	3-13-33
Brattle Street	Massachusetts Avenue	Garden Avenue		1100	3-12-45
Brentwood Avenue	Woodside Avenue	Woburn Street		907	6-21-38
Bridge Lane	Main Street	Shawsheen Avenue	0.3		11-06-94
Broad Street	Carmel Street	Both Ways		1377	3-13-54
Burlington Avenue	Main Street	Burlington Line	1.6		11-06-94
Burnap Street	Grove Avenue	Winchell Road		1378	3-12-45
Burt Road	Cedar Street	Fall Street		2500	3-12-45
Butters Row	Main Street	Chestnut Street	0.6		11-06-94
Catherine Avenue	Arlene Avenue	Dorothy Avenue			10-03-66
Canal Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Burt Road		1511	10-16-39
Carolyn Road	North Street	Linda Road		950	3-12-60
Carson Avenue	Hathaway Road	Both Ways		677	3-10-53
Carson Ave. Ext.	Marie Drive			300	3-11-61
Carter Lane	Shawsheen Avenue			1400	3-09-57
Cedar Street	Harris Street	Burt Road		600	3-12-45
Cedar Crest Road	Pinewood Road	Judith Road		1100	5-27-63
Central Street	Middlesex Avenue	Church Street		574	10-16-50
Chandler Road	Kelley Road	Adams Street		400	3-09-57
Chapman Avenue	Hathaway Road			322	3-05-51
Chase Road	Hathaway Road			297	3-10-53
Chestnut Street	Burlington Avenue	Woburn Line	2.1		11-06-94
Church Street	Main Street	Middlesex Avenue	0.8		11-06-94
Clark Street	Main Street	Church Street	0.8		11-06-94
Cochrane Road	Forest Street	Warren Road		800	3-10-47
Columbia Street	Church Street	Talbot Avenue	0.1		3-02-08
Concord Street	Federal Street	No. Reading Line	1.1		11-06-94
Congress Street	Forest Street	Burlington Line		965	10-16-39
Cook Avenue	Main Street	Kensington Avenue		1000	3-11-46
Coolidge Road	Hathaway Road			270	3-05-51
Corey Avenue	Grand Street	Canal Street		370	3-05-51
Cottage Street	Main Street			920	3-13-54

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Feet</u>	<u>Date (s) Accepted</u>
Crest Avenue	Ayotte Street			560	3-10-47
Cross Street	Main Street	Lowell Street		900	11-06-94
Cunningham Street	Salem Street	Beeching Avenue		2320	3-44 3-52 3-53
Cypress Street	Glen Road			260	3-05-51
Dadant Drive	North Street	North Street		1710.4	3-14-64
Davis Street	Main Street			500	3-17-52
Dayton Road	Hathaway Road			170	3-05-51
Dell Drive	Burlington Avenue			450	3-08-58
Dobson Street	Glen Road	Cary Street		1402	3-13-54
Dorchester Street	Billerica Line			1400	3-05-51
Dorothy Avenue	Barbara Avenue	Arlene Avenue		1556	3-12-60
Draper Drive	Gunderson Road			100	3-14-59
Druary Lane	School Street	Glen Road			3-09-63
Dublin Avenue	Main Street			500	3-05-51
Dunton Road	Nassau Avenue	Both Ways		638	3-10-56
Eames Street	Main Street	Woburn Street	0.7		11-06-94
Edwards Road	Forest Street	Baldwin Road		450	3-10-47
Elwood Road	Forest Street	Dead End		642	3-09-68
Emerson Street	Oakwood Road	Faulkner Avenue		600	3-05-51
Fairfield Avenue	Main Street			1300	3-11-46
Fairmeadow Road	Nichols Street	Nichols Street		2328	3-08-58
Fairview Avenue	State Street			650	3-13-33
Faneuil Drive	Massachusetts Avenue			1000	10-16-50
Faulkner Avenue	Glen Road	W. Jamaica Avenue		2671	3-13-44 3-10-53
Fay Street	Glen Road	Cary Street		700	6-21-38 3-12-45
Federal Street	Middlesex Avenue	Woburn Street	1.1		11-06-94
Ferguson Road	Shawsheen Avenue	Dead End		1072.61	3-11-67
Forest Street	Aldrich Road	Burlington Avenue	0.8		11-06-94
Frederick Drive	Salem Street				10-03-66
Glen Road	Main Street	Middlesex Avenue	1.3		11-06-94
Glendale Circle	Glen Road	Glen Road		1300	3-17-52
Glenview Road	Suncrest Avenue			360	3-14-59
Gowing Road	Park Street	Marcus Road		900	3-10-56
Grace Drive	Shawsheen Avenue				10-03-66
Grand Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Dunmore Road		850	3-17-52
Grant Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		780	3-08-43
Grove Avenue	Main Street	Lake Street	0.4		9-29-10
Gunderson Road	Hathaway Road	Both Ways		1081	3-14-59
	Marie Drive				10-03-66
Hamlin Lane	Lawrence Street			558	3-10-62
Hardin Street	Aldrich Road	Lubbers Brook		250	3-05-51 2-11-61
Harnden Street	Main Street	Glen Road	0.1		3-04-95
Harris Street	Burlington Avenue	Cedar Street		700	3-12-45
Harvard Avenue	Main Street	River Street		430	3-05-51
Hathaway Road	Woburn Street	Gunderson Road		1858	3-51 3-53 3-59
Hawthorne Road	Woburn Street			230	3-10-56
High Street	Middlesex Avenue	Woburn Street	0.5		11-06-94
Hillside Way	Chestnut Street	Burlington Line	0.5		3-02-14
Hilltop Road	Suncrest Avenue			364	3-14-59
Hobson Avenue	Pine Avenue	150 ft. beyond Wiser Street		1520	3-45 3-51 3-52
Hopkins Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Billerica Line	0.5		11-06-94
Jaquith Road	Shawsheen Avenue			1250	3-08-48 3-49 3-51
Jere Road	Fairmeadow Road	Fairmeadow Road		1247	3-09-68
Jones Avenue	Glen Road			719	6-10-40
Judith Road	Birchwood Road	Cedar Crest Road		520	3-10-53
Kelley Road	Adams Street			923	3-09-57
Kendall Street	Aldrich Road	Blanchard Road		1300	3-12-45
Kiernan Avenue	Main Street			693	3-08-58
Kilmarnock Street	West Street	Reading Line	0.5		11-06-94
King Street	Glen Road	Broad Street		2400	6-10-40 3-12-45
Kirk Street	Main Street			572	3-05-51
Lake Street	Main Street	Shawsheen Avenue	1.0		11-06-94

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Feet</u>	<u>Date (s) Accepted</u>
Lang Street	Bancroft Street	B & M RR.		400	3-17-52
Laurel Avenue	Malloy Road	Parker Street		657	10-16-50
Lawrence Court	Lawrence Street			683	3-10-56
Lawrence Street	Glendale Circle	Shady Lane Drive		3773	3-10-56
Ledgewood Road	Suncrest Avenue			383	3-14-59
Liberty Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		740	3-08-43
Lincoln Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		720	3-08-43
Linda Road & Ext.	High Street			1940.5	10-16-50 3-14-64
Lloyd Road	Main Street			1050	3-05-51
Lockwood Road	Ballardvale Street			990	3-09-57
Longview Road	Middlesex Avenue			650	3-14-59
Loumac Road	Drury Lane	To End			3-09-63
Lowell Street	Main Street	Reading Line	1.9		11-06-94
Lowell St. Park	Station 7 - 50	Station 14- 50			1908 - 1957
Mackey Road	Federal Street			250	3-08-43
Main Street	Tewksbury Line	Woburn Line	4.0		11-06-94
Marcus Road	Gowing Road	Gowing Road		2315	3-08-58
Marcia Road	North Street			1130	3-10-62
Marie Drive	Woburn Street	Thrush Road		1285	3-11-61
	Thrush Road	Gunderson Road			10-03-66
Marion Street	Burlington Avenue			(1739)	9-01-06 County
				( 900)	3-12-45
Marjorie Road	Main Street			1550	3-05-51
Massachusetts Avenue	Main Street	St. Paul Street		800	3-12-45
McDonald Road	Salem Street			1424	3-13-44
Meadow Lane	Suncrest Avenue			363	3-09-57
Melody Lane	Shawsheen Avenue				10-03-66
Middlesex Avenue	Main Street	Salem Street	2.3		11-06-94
Miles Street	Main Street	Hobson Avenue		400	3-12-45
Miller Road	Glen Road	Emerson Street		640	3-12-45
Moore Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Wedgewood Avenue		1528	3-11-67
Morse Avenue	Woburn Street			1361	10-16-39
Mystic Avenue	Middlesex Avenue			598	3-02-08
Nassau Avenue	Shawsheen Avenue	Decatur Street		2000	3-11-46
Nichols Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Shawsheen River	0.7		11-06-94
Nickerson Avenue	West Street			900	3-10-47
Norfolk Street	Carter Lane	Nassau Avenue		538	3-13-54
North Street	Middlesex Avenue	Dadant Drive		3533	3-12-45 3-13-54
Nunn Road	Kelley Road			213	3-13-65
Oak Street	Salem Street			350	3-19-51
Oakdale Road	Judith Road	Short Street		2280	10-16-50
Oakridge Circle	Gowing Road	Gowing Road		1730	3-08-58
Oakwood Road	Main Street	Fairfield Avenue		850	3-11-46
Olson Street	Church Street			132	3-09-57
Park Street	Woburn Street	No. Reading Line	0.9		11-06-94
Parker Street	Lowell Street	Blackstone Street	0.36		3-04-07 3-03-19
Patricia Circle	Dell Drive	Dell Drive		595	3-08-58
Pershing Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		720	3-08-43
Phillips Avenue	Wiser Street	Wild Avenue		1800	3-11-46 3-13-54
Pilling Road	Hathaway Road	Both Ways		930	3-14-59
Pine Avenue	Main Street	Hobson Avenue		400	3-12-45
Pineridge Road	North Street	Linda Road		900	3-12-60
Pineview Road	Lipp Street	Adelman Road		450	3-10-53
Pinewood Road	Birchwood Road	Shady Lane Drive		1332	3-13-54
Pleasant Road	Middlesex Avenue	Linda Road		750	3-10-62
Powder House Cir.	Middlesex Avenue			730	3-13-54
Railroad Avenue	Clark Street	Stone Street	0.2		3-01-09
Ridge Road	Suncrest Avenue			365	3-10-56
River Street	Massachusetts Avenue	Harvard Avenue		440	3-10-62
Roberts Road	Burlington Avenue			1860	3-11-67
Rollins Road	Fenway Street	Marion Street		200	3-13-54

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Feet</u>	<u>Date (s) Accepted</u>
Roosevelt Road	Boutwell Street	Swain Road		2000	3-11-46
Royal Street	Salem Street			1040	3-05-51
Salem Street	Tewksbury Line	No. Reading Line	2.7		11-06-94 3-05-06
School Street	Middlesex Avenue	High School Lot		616	3-01-15
	Buzzell School	Dead End			3-09-63
Sewell Road	Hathaway Road			380	3-12-55
Shady Lane Drive	Middlesex Avenue	Lawrence Street		2676	3-08-58
Shawsheen Avenue	Main Street	Billerica Line	2.2		11-06-94
Sheridan Road	Hathaway Road			487	3-05-51
Silver Lake Avenue	Lake Street	Dexter Street		455	3-13-54
Sprucewood Road	Shady Lane Drive	Short Street		600	3-17-52
State Street	Belmont Avenue	Fairview Avenue		275	3-03-33
Strout Avenue	Lowell Street			686	3-17-55
Suncrest Avenue	West Street			1246	3-13-54
Swain Road	Forest Street	Burlington Avenue	0.4		3-20-22 10-16-29
Taft Road	Swain Road	Boutwell Street		1985.53	6-21-38
Taplin Avenue	Hobson Avenue	Lubbers Brook		900	3-11-46
Temple Street	Church Street			274	6-06-11
Thrush Road	Salem Street	Marie Drive		400	3-11-61
Thurstons Avenue	Church Street		0.2		3-04-07
Truman Road	Hathaway Road			300	3-10-53
Upton Court	Andover Street		0.1		11-06-94
Veranda Avenue	Main Street	Lubbers Brook		1076	3-06-16
Virginia Road	No. Reading Line			1200	3-13-54
Walker Street	Main Street			423	3-08-58
Warren Road	Lake St., Tewks.			100	3-13-54
Washington Avenue	Clark Street	Chase Street	0.3		3-01-20
Wedgewood Avenue	Moore Street	Dead End		475	3-11-67
West Street	Woburn Street	Reading Line	1.7		11-06-94
Westdale Avenue	West Street	B & M RR.		1211	6-22-42
Wightman Road	Warren Road	Albert Street		230	3-13-54
Wild Avenue	Grove Avenue	B & M RR.	0.2		12-29-10
Wildwood Street	Middlesex Avenue	Woburn Street	1.1		11-06-94
Williams Avenue	Main Street			693	6-10-40
Wilson Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		760	3-08-43
Wilton Drive	Shawsheen Avenue				10-03-66
Winchell Road	Grove Avenue	Burnap Street		200	3-12-45
Wing Road	Woburn Street			746	3-08-58
Wiser Street	Main Street	Taplin Avenue		900	10-16-50
Woburn Street	Andover Street	Woburn Line	4.2		11-06-94
Woodlawn Avenue	Border Avenue	Kensington Avenue		250	3-17-52

## Constable

herewith submit my annual report as Constable of the Town of Wilmington, for the year 1968.

have posted Notices and Warrants for the Annual Town Meeting, Special Town Meetings, State Primary, State and National Election, in accordance with the By-Laws of the Town of Wilmington.

have also served and posted Notices for other Officers and departments of the Town of Wilmington.

# Regional Vocational Technical School District

During the year 1968, the School Committee continued to meet on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the temporary District Office located at 240 Cambridge Street, Burlington. In March, Mr. Roy Curseaden was elected as a new member from Tewksbury for a period of three years. The membership and terms of office are as follows:

Name of Member	Term Expires
BEDFORD	
Mr. Fred Keough	1971
Mr. Joseph Rogers	1969
BILLERICA	
Mr. Kenneth Buffum	1970
Mr. Everett McCue	1969
BURLINGTON	
Mr. James Cipoletta	1969
Mr. Wallace Haigh	1970
TEWKSBURY	
Mrs. Anthony Anderson	1970
Mr. Roy Curseaden	1971
WILMINGTON	
Mr. Richard Keane	1971
Mr. Frank McLean	1970

On April 1st, the following officers were elected: Mr. Fred Keough, Chairman; Mr. James Cipoletta, Vice Chairman; Mr. Wallace Haigh, Secretary-Treasurer.

Preliminary plans were approved on January 2nd by the School Building Assistance Bureau. Meetings were held with representatives of the Bureau of Vocational Education and the shop and laboratory layouts were reviewed and approved. Because of the nature of this type of school, considerable time was spent by the members of the Committee in reviewing facilities and equipment needed for each shop or laboratory. The final plans and layouts received approval from the School Building Assistance Bureau, Bureau of Vocational Education and the School Lunch Program Bureau.

Contracts for site clearance and test borings were awarded, and this work was completed in preparation for the school building. The Site Committee was quite active in negotiating with the owners of the property relative to an equitable settlement. This settlement was reached and final payment was made on the property.

Since the school will be built in Billerica, copies of the final plans were submitted to Mr. Corliss, Executive Secretary of the Board of Selectmen, Town of Billerica. These plans will be reviewed by various town officials including the Chiefs of the Fire Department, Police Department, and the building inspector.

Authorization was received from the Emergency Finance Board to borrow \$3,925,000 for the construction and equipping the school.

Legal notices were published in the trade papers, as well as the local papers, requesting bids for erection and completion of the school building. Bids are expected to be received at the District office, and it is anticipated that the construction award will be made early in 1969, and that actual building will start in February or March of 1969.

Equipment specifications have been completed and during the year 1969, it is expected that arrangements will be made to secure the necessary equipment for the school. The present plans call for the school to be opened in September of 1970.

A number of candidates were interviewed for the position of Clerk-of-the-Works. Mr. Michael J. Boyle was appointed to this position and will start after the construction contract is awarded.

#### REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT-DIRECTOR

During this past year, all efforts have been concentrated on completion of plans in order to start the actual construction of our school building. In planning our school, one objective was to have it operate at maximum efficiency and to have as complete utilization of space as possible. It was also felt that because of the technical nature of our project that it was essential to have as much flexibility as possible in order to comply with advancements and changes in our technological society. I found the greatest source of information was in visits to similar schools and to evaluate their physical plants and methods of operation. In this way, we could hopefully learn by their experience and not duplicate certain deficiencies that were found to exist. The coordinated effort on the part of members of the School Committee, State Supervisors, Representatives from industry, School Personnel from vocational technical schools all helped in finalizing our plans.

The physical preparation for our project involved the necessary preliminary work. This consisted of borings, site clearance and location of the leaching field. In addition, the officials of the Town of Billerica have been most cooperative, and a plan has been initiated to improve the Cook Street area in the vicinity of the school so as to minimize traffic hazards.

The major activities in the year ahead will involve not only the actual construction, but also the purchasing of equipment to furnish the school. In order to take advantage of any surplus equipment made available through state and federal agencies, applications were completed and approved so that our project would be eligible for such equipment. It is anticipated that acquiring such equipment will cut down on the ultimate cost of our school.

Because of the nature of this type of educational facilities, an Operational Schedule was developed which will serve as a guide to insure that all details are taken care of and that the school will be ready to admit its first students in September of 1970.

The value of vocational technical education has been realized by the Federal Government as seen by the enactment of the Vocational Education Act of 1968. It is expected that funds from this Act will double the amount of money that has been available for vocational education in the State of Massachusetts. Legislators on the national, state and local levels have come to realize the need to assure that persons of all ages in our communities will have access to vocational education opportunities that are suitable to individual needs and realistic in light of employment opportunities. It has been encouraging in view of increasing school costs to find that considerable funds will become available and result in a lower ultimate cost to the local taxpayer for our school project. Mr. Walter J. Markham, State Director of Vocational Education, indicated that we can anticipate a minimum of federal funding of 10% of the cost of building and equipment. We, therefore, can expect approximately \$400,000 in federal funds to pay part of the cost of our project. In addition, the state will pay during the first year of operation of our school the total salaries of the professional staff except academic instructors; during the second year 75%, and during the third year, 50%. These actions on the part of state and federal agencies symbolize the great importance of this type of education, not only in local communities, but for the nation as a whole.

The culmination of our plans have been the result of the efforts of a great number of people and although it is difficult to specifically recognize the efforts of each individual, I feel certain that all those involved will enjoy the satisfaction in having participated in such a worthwhile project.

# Town Meetings

## WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - MARCH 2, 1968 WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

TO: EITHER OF THE CONSTABLES OF THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON:

GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in the manner prescribed in the By-Laws of said Town, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet and assemble at the High School Gymnasium, Saturday, the Second Day of March, A.D., 1968 at 9:45 o'clock in the forenoon, the polls to be opened at 10:00 a.m., and shall be closed at 8:00 p.m., for the election of Town Offices:

ARTICLE 1. To bring in your votes on one ballot respectively for the following named Offices, to wit: Two Selectmen for the term of three years; Two members of the School Committee for the term of three years; One Moderator for the term of one year; One member of the Wilmington Housing Authority for the term of five years; One member for the Shawsheen Valley Regional Vocational/Technical School District Committee for the term of three years; and One member for the Wilmington Redevelopment Authority for the term of five years.

You are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Wilmington who are qualified to vote on elections and town affairs therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the High School Gymnasium, Church Street, in said Town of Wilmington on Saturday, the 9th day of March A. D., 1968 at 1:30 p.m. then and there to act on the following Articles:

In accordance with the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Simon Cutter at 9:45 a.m., as much of the Warrant as is noted above was read and on a motion by Mr. Harold E. Melzar it was voted to dispense with further reading of said Warrant.

The ballot boxes were publicly examined by the Moderator, Warden, Town Clerk and the Police officer on duty and the ballot-box clerks. Both ballot machines were found to be empty and the register on each machine indicated 00000. Each ballot machine was then locked and the keys given to the Police officer.

The election officers were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

The Warden signed a receipt for 7000 ballots, the number said to be contained in the box of ballots which were delivered to him. The ballots were then delivered to the ballot clerks.

The Polls were declared open at 10:00 a.m., and they were declared closed at 8:00 p.m. by the Warden.

There were One Thousand Eight Hundred and Nineteen (1819) ballots cast.

All of the ballots cast were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made as by law is directed, and were for the following, namely: -

### SELECTMEN - THREE YEARS

Elected	Wavie M. Drew, Nine hundred thirty-three	933
	Paul H. Niles, Six hundred nineteen	619
Elected	James F. Banda, One Thousand Three hundred twenty-five	1325
	Charles P. Greene, Two hundred forty-seven	247
	Blanks, Five hundred thirteen	513
	Others, One	1
		<hr/> 3638

SCHOOL COMMITTEE - THREE YEARS

Elected	John Brooks, One Thousand One Hundred fifty-nine	1159
Elected	Walter J. McNamara, One Thousand One hundred fifty	1150
	Mildred N. Wolff, Eight hundred and eight	808
	Blanks, Five hundred seventeen	517
	Others, Four	4
		<u>3638</u>

WILMINGTON HOUSING AUTHORITY - FIVE YEARS

Elected	Ernest M. Crispo, One Thousand four hundred sixty	1460
	Blanks, Three hundred fifty-three	353
	Others, Six	6
		<u>1819</u>

MODERATOR - ONE YEAR

Elected	Simon Cutter, One Thousand four hundred forty-one	1441
	Blanks, Three hundred sixty-six	366
	Others, Twelve	12
		<u>1819</u>

SHAWSHEEN VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE - THREE YEARS

Elected	Richard E. Keane, One Thousand five hundred four	1504
	Blanks, Three hundred fifteen	315
		<u>1819</u>

WILMINGTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY - FIVE YEARS

Elected	Robert F. Leahy, One Thousand four hundred seventy-two	1472
	Blanks, Three hundred forty-three	343
	Others, Four	4
		<u>1819</u>

All the elected officials were present and they were immediately sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk.

ATTEST: (Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - MARCH 9, 1968  
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

The adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Simon Cutter at 1:37 p.m. Rev. Robert C. Smith led the meeting in prayer.

The Moderator declared that he would dispense with reading each article and refer to each by number only. There were no objections and this procedure was followed.

ARTICLE 2. To hear the reports of Committees and act thereon. No reports were offered.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of paying unpaid bills of previous years, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. George W. Boylen, Jr.: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,824.45 for the purpose of paying unpaid bills of previous years. Finance Committee approved. Voted unanimously by voice.

ARTICLE 3A. To see how much money the Town will appropriate for the expenses of the Town and the salaries of the several Town officers and departments and determine how the same shall be raised, whether by taxation, transfer from available funds, or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Bruce MacDonald: "I move that the several and respective sums as recommended by the Finance Committee be raised by taxation or by transfer from available funds and appropriated for the purposes set forth in Article 3A, each item to be taken up and voted on separately, subject to amendment. So voted.

ACCORDINGLY THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS WERE VOTED BY TAXATION:

## GENERAL GOVERNMENT

## VOTED BY TAXATION

Selectmen - Legislative		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	1,500.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>3,500.00</u>
	\$	5,000.00
Selectmen - Elections		
Salaries . . . . .		4,900.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>550.00</u>
	\$	5,450.00
Registrars of Voters		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	3,200.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>1,700.00</u>
	\$	4,900.00
Finance Committee		
Expenses . . . . .	\$	1,000.00
Town Manager		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	20,185.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>600.00</u>
	\$	20,785.00
Industrial Promotion . . . . .		800.00
Town Accountant		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	14,780.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>500.00</u>
Capital Outlay . . . . .		----
	\$	15,280.00
Treasurer		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	12,275.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>1,210.00</u>
Tax Title Foreclosures . . . . .		<u>2,000.00</u>
	\$	15,485.00
Collector		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	12,620.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>1,175.00</u>
	\$	13,795.00
Town Clerk		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	11,665.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>330.00</u>
Capital Outlay . . . . .		----
	\$	11,995.00
Board of Assessors		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	19,730.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>2,570.00</u>
	\$	22,300.00
Town Counsel		
Salaries (Retainer). . . . .	\$	5,000.00
Expenses (Court Appearances) . . . . .		<u>5,000.00</u>
	\$	10,000.00
Town Hall		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	4,439.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>7,200.00</u>
Capital Outlay . . . . .		<u>11,099.00</u>
	\$	22,738.00
Planning Board		
Salaries . . . . .	\$	960.00
Expenses . . . . .		<u>300.00</u>
Capital Outlay . . . . .		<u>550.00</u>
Miscellaneous Contractual Services . . . . .		<u>700.00</u>
Planning Consultant . . . . .		<u>5,000.00</u>
	\$	7,510.00
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT . . . . .	\$	157,038.00

PROTECTION - PERSONS AND PROPERTY

VOTED BY TAXATION

Police Department

Salaries - Chief (Amendment voted to increase to . . . . .	\$	12,041.25
retroactive to January 1, 1968)		
1st vote - Yes 121 No - 135		
2nd vote - Voted by voice		
Lieutenant (Amendment voted to increase to . . . . .		10,179.00
retroactive to January 1, 1968)		
1st vote - Yes 149 No - 138		
2nd vote - Yes 185 No - 116		
Sergeants . . . . .		31,949.00
Patrolmen (Amendment voted to increase to) . . . . .		143,662.00
Yes - 212 No - 60		
Traffic (Policewomen)(Amendment voted to increase to) . . . . .		15,500.00
Yes - 145 No - 94		
Clerk . . . . .		4,350.00
Miscellaneous Details . . . . .		6,600.00
Police Dog Officers . . . . .		800.00
Vacations . . . . .		9,100.00
Sick Leave . . . . .		3,000.00
Paid Holidays . . . . .		7,800.00
Expenses . . . . .		12,830.00
Capital Outlay (Amendment to increase to) . . . . .		1,430.00
	\$	259,241.25

Constable

Salaries . . . . .		100.00
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Fire Department

Salaries - Chief (Amendment voted to increase to) . . . . .	\$	11,471.00
Yes - 143 No - 104		
Lieutenants (Amendment voted to increase to) . . . . .		26,465.00
Yes - 129 No - 104		
Privates . . . . .		121,113.00
Call Fire & Ambulance . . . . .		10,000.00
Vacations . . . . .		9,824.00
Sick Leave . . . . .		4,000.00
Paid Holidays . . . . .		6,500.00
Expenses . . . . .		8,591.00
Fire Sub-Station . . . . .		17,500.00
	\$	215,464.00

Civil Defense

Salaries . . . . .	\$	550.00
Expenses . . . . .		500.00
	\$	1,050.00

Dog Officer

Salaries . . . . .	\$	2,000.00
Expenses . . . . .		760.00
	\$	2,760.00

Building Inspector

Salaries . . . . .	\$	11,330.00
Expenses . . . . .		695.00
Capital Outlay . . . . .		150.00
	\$	12,175.00

Board of Appeals

Salaries . . . . .	\$	325.00
Expenses . . . . .		100.00
	\$	425.00

Sealer of Weights & Measures

Salaries (Amendment to increase to \$1,200.00 lost) . . . . .	\$	500.00
Expenses . . . . .		100.00
	\$	600.00

TOTAL PROTECTION PERSONS & PROPERTY . . . . . \$ 491,815.25

## PUBLIC WORKS

## Town Engineer

## VOTED BY TAXATION

Salaries - Town Engineer . . . . .	\$ 10,202.00
Other Salaries (Amendment voted to reduce to) . . . . .	10,448.00
Expenses . . . . .	1,300.00
Capital Outlay . . . . .	<u>1,550.00</u>
	\$ 23,500.00

Motion to reconsider Planning Board Consultant salary lost.

## Highway Department

Salaries - Superintendent . . . . .	\$ 10,875.00
Other Salaries . . . . .	71,927.00
Expenses . . . . .	23,850.00

## Maintenance Projects

Drainage . . . . .	9,921.35
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(Voted to transfer \$14,878.65 from Highway Improvement Loan, Chapter 679 Account)

Traffic Light at Woburn & Lowell Streets - \$17,000 by taxation Yes - 59 No - 148 Lost -----

Sidewalk Program . . . . .	-----
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Public Street Lights . . . . .	35,000.00
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Road Machinery - Expenses . . . . .	17,000.00
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Road Machinery - Capital Outlay . . . . .	2,700.00
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Chapter 90 Construction . . . . .	9,000.00
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Chapter 90 Maintenance . . . . .	2,000.00
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## Chapter 81 Maintenance

Salaries . . . . .	4,000.00
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Expenses . . . . .	9,000.00
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## Snow &amp; Ice Control

Salaries . . . . .	26,000.00
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Expenses . . . . .	<u>48,000.00</u>
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\$ 269,273.35

Motion to reconsider Woburn and Lowell Street lights lost.

## Tree Warden

Salaries . . . . .	\$ 8,550.00
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Expenses . . . . .	5,650.00
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Capital Outlay . . . . .	300.00
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## Dutch Elm Control

Salaries . . . . .	10,876.00
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Expenses . . . . .	1,860.00
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## Gypsy Moth Control

Salaries . . . . .	8,550.00
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Expenses . . . . .	<u>2,180.00</u>
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37,966.00

## Cemetery Department

Salaries (Motion to amend lost - Yes - 78 No - 131) . . . . .	35,060.00
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Expenses (Voted to transfer \$6,955 from Sale of Cemetery Lots account and raise by taxation) . . . . .	945.00
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Capital Outlay . . . . .	<u>2,150.00</u>
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38,155.00

TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS . . . . . \$ 368,894.35

## HEALTH AND SANITATION

## Board of Health

Salaries . . . . .	\$ 28,931.00
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Expenses . . . . .	1,835.00
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Capital Outlay . . . . .	150.00
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Hospital Medical Care . . . . .	5,000.00
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Garbage Collection . . . . .	16,700.00
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Town Dump . . . . .	<u>24,000.00</u>
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TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION . . . . . \$ 76,616.00

# CHARITIES AND VETERANS' AID

## VOTED BY TAXATION

Board of Public Welfare	
Salaries . . . . .	\$ 19,186.00
Expenses . . . . .	4,300.00
Federal Grants - Administration. . . . .	(5,000.00)
Welfare Aids (Voted to transfer \$132,324.49 from the Free Cash Account and raise by taxation). . . . .	194,675.51
Federal Grants - Welfare Aids. . . . .	<u>(120,000.00)</u>
	218,161.51
Veterans' Aid & Benefits	
Salaries . . . . .	5,527.00
Expenses . . . . .	170.00
Assistance - Veterans. . . . .	<u>50,000.00</u>
	55,697.00
TOTAL CHARITIES AND VETERANS' AID. . . . .	\$ 273,858.51

# MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS

School Maintenance & Operations	
Salaries . . . . .	\$ 224,281.00
Repairs to North Intermediate School . . . . .	20,000.00
Expenses . . . . .	48,000.00
Fuel Heating . . . . .	38,000.00
Capital Outlay . . . . .	<u>23,653.00</u>
	353,934.00
School Grounds Maintenance	
Expenses . . . . .	5,900.00
Capital Outlay . . . . .	<u>3,600.00</u>
	9,500.00
Town Buildings Maintenance	
Expenses . . . . .	15,500.00
Capital Outlay . . . . .	<u>10,965.00</u>
	26,465.00
TOTAL MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS. . . . .	\$ 389,899.00

# LIBRARY

Board of Library Trustees	
Salaries . . . . .	\$ 22,920.00
Expenses (Voted to transfer \$3,118.75 from the Aid to Free Public Libraries Account and raise by taxation). . . . .	<u>22,006.25</u>
	\$ 44,926.25

# RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Salaries (Voted amendment to increase to) . . . . .	\$ 17,532.00
Expenses (Voted amendment to increase to) . . . . .	<u>12,250.00</u>
	\$ 29,782.00

# PERMANENT BUILDING COMMITTEE

Salaries . . . . .	\$ 750.00
Office Supplies. . . . .	125.00
Expenses . . . . .	125.00
Contractual Services . . . . .	<u>7,000.00</u>
	\$ 8,000.00

# CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Expenses (Voted amendment to increase to). . . . .	\$ 2,305.00
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# SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Salaries (Motion to amend the Administrative Salaries in the amount of \$10,074 to \$57,940 and reduce Instruction Salaries from \$1,750,805 to \$1,702,939. Second motion to amend that the School Department budget be voted in two figures - Salaries and Expenses. Second motion to amend voted thus: Salaries - \$1,926,331 less Federal Funds - \$47,886.00 . . . . .	\$1,878,465.00
Expenses . . . . .	<u>356,455.00</u>
	\$2,234,920.00

VOCATIONAL TRAINING . . . . .	\$ 10,000.00
REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE . . . . .	<u>19,360.00</u>
	\$ 29,360.00
UNCLASSIFIED AND RESERVE	
Insurance and Bonds . . . . .	\$ 50,743.00
Reserve Fund (Voted that the sum of \$50,000 be raised for the Reserve Fund Account #900 by transfer of \$50,000 from the Overlay Reserve Account)	----
Blue Cross - Blue Shield & Group Life (Voted by transfer of \$5,579 from the Group Insurance Dividend Account and raise by taxation).	36,421.00
Local Transportation. . . . .	7,950.00
Training & Conferences (In State) . . . . .	3,100.00
Town Report . . . . .	2,000.00
Flag Pole . . . . .	1,400.00
Sewer Maintenance . . . . .	1,000.00
Training & Conferences (Out of State) . . . . .	900.00
Appraisals (Voted to raise by taxation) . . . . .	2,500.00
Negotiated 1968 Salary Increase . . . . .	49,500.00
Salaries for 53rd week. . . . .	<u>17,000.00</u>
	\$ 172,514.00
MATURING DEBT AND INTEREST	
Schools (Voted to transfer \$5,733.22 from Accrued Interest Sale of Bonds Account, and raise by taxation) . . . . .	\$ 520,508.78
General Government. . . . .	49,997.00
Water (Voted to raise the sum of \$88,752.40 Maturing Debt and Interest - Water by transfer of \$88,752.40 from Water Available Surplus Account) . . . . .	----
Interest on Anticipation Notes and Authentication Fees. . . . .	<u>25,000.00</u>
	\$ 595,505.78
TOTAL VOTED BY BUDGET - TAXATION	
	\$4,875,434.14
TRANSFER	
	<u>307,341.51</u>
	\$5,182,775.65

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1968 and January 1, 1969 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 17, or take any action relative thereto.

Motion by Mr. James Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1968, and January 1, 1969 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 17." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 5. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purpose of having a complete job description, pay plan and job evaluation for the employees of the Town of Wilmington, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mrs. Wavie M. Drew: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$6,000 for the purpose of having a complete job description, pay plan and job evaluation for the employees of the Town of Wilmington, and the Town Manager be and hereby is authorized to expend said funds and to enter into contracts for the purpose of accomplishing the same." Finance Committee approved \$6,000 by taxation. Vote taken by voice and it was declared lost. Seven voters rose to doubt the vote. A standing vote was taken. Yes - 100 No - 111 Lost.

ARTICLE 6. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase of a Grader for the Highway Department, and/or authorize the sale or turn-in of the Grader presently used by the Highway Department, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by James F. Banda: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$29,000 for the purchase of a grader for the Highway Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of the grader presently used by the Highway Department." Finance Committee disapproved this article.

ARTICLE 6. (continued)

Amendment by Mr. James H. White: "I move that Article 6 be amended to read that the Town will agree to a two-year, 1968-1969 lease-purchase of a grader for the Highway Department at the rate of \$13,125.00 per year, which price includes the trade-in of the present 1952 Austin-Western Grader." Vote taken and the amendment and main motion were lost.

ARTICLE 7. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase of a "Carry-All" Truck or Wagon for the use of the Engineering Department, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. George W. Boylen, Jr.: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purchase of a "Carry-All" Truck or Wagon for the use of the Engineering Department." Finance Committee disapproved. Motion lost by voice.

ARTICLE 8. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of three vehicles for the use of the Police Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of three vehicles presently used by the Police Department, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mrs. Drew: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$5,424.00 for the purchase of three vehicles for the Police Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of three vehicles presently used by the Police Department." Lost by voice vote. Finance Committee disapproved of this Article as it is written. Reconsideration voted. Motion by Mr. Richard V. Barry to appropriate \$3,616 for the turn-in and purchase of two Police cars. Amendment by Mr. James Miceli not to identify the two cars - "leave it up to the Town Manager." Voted. Main motion as amended voted.

ARTICLE 9. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purpose of extending the Fire Alarm System, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$3,510 for the purpose of extending the Fire Alarm System. Finance Committee recommended \$3,510. Motion voted.

ARTICLE 10. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purpose of establishing a Mutual Aid Base Radio with the surrounding Towns, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Banda: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$950 for the purpose of establishing a Mutual Aid Base Radio with the surrounding Towns." Finance Committee approved \$950. Motion voted by voice unanimously.

ARTICLE 11. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase of three 2½ ton Dump Trucks, for the use of the Highway Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of three vehicles presently used by the Highway Department or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Boylen: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$19,837.00 for the purchase of three 1968 2½ ton Dump Trucks for the use of the Highway Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of three vehicles presently used by the Highway Department." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted by voice unanimously.

ARTICLE 12. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase of a Stump Cutter for the use of the Tree Department, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,400.00 for the purchase of a Stump Cutter for the use of the Tree Department." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 13. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase of 3/4-ton pick-up for the Public Buildings Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of the 3/4-ton vehicle presently used by the Public Buildings Department, or do anything in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 13. (continued)

Motion by Mrs. Drew: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,025.43 for the purchase of a 1968 3/4-ton pickup for the Public Buildings Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of the 3/4-ton vehicle presently used by the Public Buildings Department." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 14. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase of a 1½-ton dump truck for the use of the Public Buildings Department, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. James Banda: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$3,506.38 for the purchase of a 1968 1½-ton dump truck for the use of the Public Buildings Department." Finance Committee disapproved. Motion lost.

ARTICLE 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the observance of Memorial Day and Veterans' Day and that the Moderator appoint a committee who shall arrange and have charge of said observances, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Boylen: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the observance of Memorial Day and Veterans' Day, and that the Moderator appoint a Committee who shall arrange and have charge of such observances. Finance Committee approved \$1,500. Motion voted unanimously.

At this point in the meeting a motion to adjourn was lost by a standing vote: Yes - 99 No - 100. Many voters left after this count.

A voter doubted that a quorum was present. Standing count showed that there were 168 voters present.

ARTICLE 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$750.00 under the authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, for the purpose of providing suitable quarters for the William F. Tattersall Chapter No. 106, Disabled American Veterans, located in Wilmington, Massachusetts, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Banda: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 under the authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, for the purpose of providing suitable quarters for the William F. Tattersall Chapter No. 106, Disabled American Veterans, located in Wilmington, Massachusetts. Finance Committee disapproved. Standing vote taken. Yes - 82 No - 61 Voted.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, the lease of the American Legion Clubhouse, Inc., in Wilmington for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Wilmington Post No. 136 of the American Legion, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mrs. Drew: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, the lease of the American Legion Clubhouse, Inc., in Wilmington for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Wilmington Post No. 136 of the American Legion." Finance Committee disapproved. Motion voted.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, the lease of the Veterans of Foreign Wars' Clubhouse on Main Street for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Nee-Ellsworth Post 2458 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, the lease of the Veterans of Foreign Wars' Clubhouse on Main Street for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Nee-Ellsworth Post 2458 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States." Finance Committee disapproved. Motion voted.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 the money to be expended under the direction of the 4-H Town Committee, serving in cooperation with the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, or do anything in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 19. (continued)

Motion by Mr. Boylen: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$100.00, the money to be expended under the direction of the 4-H Town Committee, serving in cooperation with the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128 of the General Laws of Massachusetts." Finance Committee approved \$100.00 by taxation. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school on land acquired by the Town off Hopkins Street and Shawsheen Avenue, and to authorize and instruct the Permanent Building Committee to enter into contracts and to do all things that are necessary for constructing and originally equipping and furnishing said elementary school, or take any action relative thereto. Request of the Permanent Building Committee.

Motion by Mr. John M. Callan, Chairman of the Permanent Building Committee: "I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one million six hundred seventy-four thousand, seven hundred twenty dollars (\$1,674,720.00) for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school on land acquired by the Town off Hopkins Street and Shawsheen Avenue and to meet said appropriation, that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum or sums not to exceed one million six hundred seventy-four thousand, seven hundred twenty dollars (\$1,674,720.00) under the authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended, and to issue bonds or notes therefor, payable in not more than twenty years and that the Permanent Building Committee be and hereby is authorized in the name and on behalf of the Town to enter into contracts and to do all things that are necessary for construction and originally equipping and furnishing said elementary school." Finance Committee recommended approval of \$1,674,720. Vote taken by standing. Yes - 142 No - 5 Motion carried.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws of the Town of Wilmington, Chapter 3, Section 14 by inserting after the words, "and sell and convey to an abutting owner" the following: "provided that said abutting owner is located on the same side of the way, whether such way be proposed, unaccepted, or accepted by the Town", or do anything else in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mr. A. Daniel Gillis: "I move that the Town amend the By-Laws of the Town of Wilmington, Chapter 3, Section 14 by inserting after the words, "and sell and convey to an abutting owner", the following: "provided that said abutting owner is located on the same side of the way, whether such way be proposed, unaccepted, or accepted by the Town". Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, for the purpose of acquiring the following described parcels of land for recreation and park lands; and further, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase, secure by option, take by eminent domain, or receive as a gift for said purposes, certain parcels of land reserved by the Planning Board in accordance with the provisions of Section 81-U of Chapter 41 of the General Laws in that portion of Wilmington known as Hathaway Acres Extension and shown on a plan on file with the Town Clerk; or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by A. Daniel Gillis: "I move that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized to acquire by purchase and/or eminent domain four parcels of land identified as Parcels 7, 8, 9 and 54 on a plan of land entitled "Plan of a Portion of Land in Wilmington, Massachusetts called "Hathaway Acres Extension #2, dated May 3, 1965 and recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans #103, Plan 69 and, for the purposes of acquiring said land, the sum of nine thousand two hundred dollars (\$9,200.00) be raised by taxation and so appropriated; and, further, that the Town vote to transfer the care, custody, management and control of the aforementioned land to the Conservation Commission for all purposes as are included in the General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C, and further that the Conservation Commission be and hereby is authorized to apply to the Department of Natural Resources, or any other State Department, for the purpose of obtaining so-called self-help funds." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 23. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting in its entirety SECTION V-1, Schedule of Requirements and by substituting in its place the following Schedule V-1 as shown below; and to amend SECTION V-3A, by deleting the word "dwelling" wherever it appears in this SECTION V-3 and substituting in its place the word "building"; or do anything else in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

ARTICLE 23. (continued)

V-1 SCHEDULE OF REQUIREMENTS

In any District, no use of premises shall be authorized or extended, and no building or structure shall be erected, enlarged, or moved which is not in accord with the following schedule, except as herein specified.

DISTRICT	Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted without Appeal	Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted on Appeal	Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted without Appeal	Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted on Appeal	Maximum Height	DISTRICT	Minimum Set-back from Center Line of Street	Minimum Front Yard Depth	Minimum Width for each Side Yard	Minimum Rear Yard Depth Minimum Lot Depth	Maximum Lot Coverage	for Buildings or Structures
Rural (R)	60,000 sq. ft.	60,000 sq. ft.	200 ft.	200 ft.	2½ stories or 38 ft.	Rural (R)	80 ft.	50 ft.	30 ft.	30 ft.	200 ft.	20%
Single-Residence - A (S-R-A)	22,500 sq. ft.	45,000 sq. ft.	125 ft.	200 ft.	2½ stories or 38 ft.	Single-Residence - A (S-R-A)	65 ft.	45 ft.	25 ft.	20 ft.	150 ft.	25%
Single-Residence - B (S-R-B)	10,000 sq. ft.	20,000 sq. ft.	100 ft.	150 ft.	2½ stories or 38 ft.	Single-Residence - B (S-R-B)	50 ft.	30 ft.	15 ft.	20 ft.	100 ft.	35%
Neighborhood Business (N-B)	2 acres	4 acres	200 ft.	400 ft.	2½ stories or 38 ft.	Neighborhood Business (N-B)	80 ft.	50 ft.*	50 ft.*	50 ft.*	150 ft.	50%
General Business (GB)	2½ acres	5 acres	200 ft.	400 ft.	2 stories or 30 ft.	General Business (GB)	100 ft.	70 ft.**	50 ft.**	50 ft.**	200 ft.	35%
Industrial (IND)	2½ acres	5 acres	200 ft.	400 ft.	2 stories or 30 ft.	Industrial (IND)	100 ft.	70 ft.**	50 ft.**	50 ft.**	200 ft.	35%

\*Or 100 feet, from any R. SRA or SRB District for uses allowed on appeal  
\*\*Or 100 feet from any R. SRA or SRB District

Motion by Mr. Gillis: "I move that Article #23 be passed over at this time. Voted to pass over this article."

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of laying a water main in Sudbury Avenue of not less than six inches, but less than sixteen inches in diameter, in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners acting under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.) Chapter 40, Sections 42G to 42I inclusive, and determine how the appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners.

Motion by Mr. Arnold C. Blake: "I move that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$2,960.00 for the purpose of laying a water main not less than six inches, but less than sixteen inches in diameter for a certain distance in Sudbury Avenue as shown on a plan on file with the Superintendent of the Water Department, in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners acting under the provisions of General Law, Chapter 40, Sections 42G to 42I inclusive, and that said appropriation be raised by transfer from the following accounts:

\$1,155.91 from the Martens Street Water Betterment Account and \$1,804.09 from the Chestnut Street Wellfield Account.

Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 1 of Division #21 of the Building By-Laws by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph reading as follows:

- (1) Wading pools which are designed to contain a depth of twelve (12) inches or less of water and have a water surface area of less than 100 square feet need not comply with these regulations.

Motion by Mr. Roy P. McClanahan: "I move that the Town vote to amend Section 1 of Division #21 of the Building By-Laws by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph reading as follows:

- (1) Wading pools which are designed to contain a depth of twelve (12) inches or less of water and have a water surface area of less than 100 square feet need not comply with these regulations."

Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the Town will amend the Building By-Law by striking out Section 2 of Division #15 - GARAGES, thereof and inserting in place thereof the following:

ARTICLE 26. (continued)

SECTION 2. (Private Garage) All garages built beneath or against the superstructure of dwellings shall be enclosed by walls, floors and ceilings having at least (1) hour fire resistance. Request of the Building Inspector.

Motion by Mr. McClanahan: "I move the Town vote to amend the Building By-Law by striking out Section 2 of Division #15 - GARAGES and by inserting in place thereof, the following:

SECTION 2. (Private Garage) All garages built beneath or against the superstructure of dwellings shall be enclosed by walls, floors and ceilings having at least one (1) hour fire resistance."

Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will amend the Building By-Law by adding the word "warehouse" to Section 1 of Division #4 - Building Limitations, to read as follows:

SECTION 1. No buildings except a manufacturing establishment, warehouse, railway station, public utility and municipal buildings, church, schoolhouse, garage, or hall for public assemblies shall hereafter be erected and no existing building shall be altered or added to, thereby giving it a frontage or more than 50 feet, without one or more partition walls of bricks or some non-combustible material, extending from the bottom of the cellar or from a foundation wall up to and intersecting with the underside of the roof. Such walls shall not be more than fifty feet apart throughout the length of the building. All doors through this protective wall shall be fireproof and shall be serviced by an automatic self-closing device approved by the Building Inspector. No existing building having a frontage of more than fifty feet shall be converted to a use not excepted by this section without at least one partition wall, constructed as described in this section. Provided however, that any single dwelling house intended for one family may be extended more than fifty feet in one direction without such partition wall. Request of the Building Inspector.

Motion by Mr. McClanahan: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Building By-Law by adding the word "warehouse", to Section 1 of Division No. 4 - Building Limitations, so that as amended, Division No. 4, Section 1 will read as follows:

SECTION 1. No buildings, except a manufacturing establishment, warehouse, stadium and arena, railway station, public utility and municipal buildings, church, schoolhouse, garage, or hall for public assemblies shall hereafter be erected and no existing building shall be altered or added to, thereby giving it a frontage of more than 50 feet, without one or more partition walls of bricks or some non-combustible material, extending from the bottom of the cellar or from a foundation wall up to and intersecting with the underside of the roof. Such walls shall not be more than fifty feet apart throughout the length of the building. All doors through this protective wall shall be fireproof and shall be serviced by an automatic self-closing device approved by the Building Inspector. No existing building having a frontage of more than fifty feet shall be converted to a use not excepted by this section without at least one partition wall constructed as described in this section. Provided, however, that any single dwelling house intended for one family may be extended more than fifty feet in one direction without such partition wall."

Finance Committee approved. Amendment by Mr. Wilson Belbin to delete the words "approved by the Building Inspector" and insert the words "approved by the Fire Underwriters". Motion to amend was voted unanimously. Vote on the main motion as amended was voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will amend the Building By-Law by striking out Section 6A of Division No. 1 - ADMINISTRATION, thereof and inserting in place thereof the following:

DIVISION No. 1 - ADMINISTRATION Fees for Permits - Section 6A. A permit fee of one dollar (\$1.00) per thousand dollars of estimated cost, with a minimum fee of five dollars (\$5.00) shall be paid by the applicant before the permit is issued. The Building Inspector shall endorse upon the application the amount to be charged for the permit. The applicant shall pay this amount to the Town Collector who will give the applicant a receipt for same, and endorse upon the application that it has been paid. Request of the Building Inspector.

Motion by Mr. Roy McClanahan: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Building By-Law by striking out Section 6A of Division No. 1 - ADMINISTRATION, and inserting in place thereof, the following:

SECTION 6A. A permit fee of one dollar (\$1.00) per thousand dollars of estimated cost, with a minimum fee of five dollars (\$5.00) shall be paid by the applicant before the permit is issued. The Building Inspector shall endorse upon the application the amount to be charged for the permit. The applicant shall pay this amount to the Town Collector who will give the applicant a receipt for same, and endorse upon the application that it has been paid.

Finance Committee approved. Some discussion followed. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Building By-Laws by deleting Section 6C of Division No. 1 - ADMINISTRATION - Section 6C - ADVISORY BOARD OF REVIEW:

1. An Advisory Board of Review is hereby established consisting of five members to be appointed by the appointing authority with the approval of the Board of Selectmen.
  - a. One member shall be appointed for five years, one for four years, one for three years, one for two years and one for one year, and thereafter each new member to serve for five years, or until his successor has been appointed.
  - b. The Board membership shall consist of at least one of each of the following:
    - (1) A current member of the Wilmington Planning Board
    - (2) A builder with at least ten years of building construction experience
    - (3) A licensed Attorney-at-Law
    - (4) A Civil Engineer
  - c. No member shall pass on any question in which he is engaged as contractor, material dealer, or in which his services are involved. Request of the Building Inspector.

Motion by Mr. McClanahan: "I move the Town vote to amend the Building By-Laws by deleting Section 6C of Division No. 1 - ADMINISTRATION and pertaining to an Advisory Board of Review." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the care, custody, management and control of land shown on the Wilmington Assessors' Plan map number 11, Parcels 21, 28, 32 and 34; also map 50, parcels 42 and 45, to which reference is made for a more particular description of the Conservation Commission for all purposes as are included in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C, or as it may be hereafter amended, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Conservation Commission.

Motion by Mr. William Hooper: "I move that the Town vote to transfer the care, custody, management and control of land shown on the Wilmington Assessors' Plan map number 11, Parcels 21, 28, 32 and 34; also map 50, parcels 42 and 45, to which reference is made for a more particular description of the Conservation Commission for all purposes as are included in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 8C, or as it may be hereafter amended." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

At this point in the meeting Mr. Courtney questioned whether or not we had a quorum. A standing count was taken and showed that there were 171 present.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$15,000.00 for an addition to the Police Station, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Chief of Police.

Motion by Mr. Lynch: "I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 for an addition to the Police Station." Finance Committee disapproved. Motion lost by a voice vote.

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Town By-Laws by adding the following section to Chapter V as follows:

Section 39. No person shall stand or loiter in or on any street, sidewalk or public place in such a manner as to obstruct the free passage of travelers thereon; nor shall any person on such street, sidewalk or public place, after being directed by a police officer to move on and disperse, on a same or subsequent day reassemble to loiter or remain so as to obstruct the free passage of travelers or motor vehicles; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to deny the rights of peaceful picketing. It shall be the duty of any police officer of the Town of Wilmington to order any persons offending against provisions of this section to move on and disperse and if the person so ordered or requested does not forthwith obey, to remove them, or to arrest and cause them to be brought before the Justice of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex and a complaint to be made against the provisions of the preceding sentence. Request of the Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Town By-Laws by adding Section 39 to Chapter V as follows: No person shall stand or loiter in or on any street, sidewalk or public place in such a manner as to obstruct the free passage of travelers thereon; nor shall any person on such street, sidewalk or public place, after being directed by a police officer to move on and disperse, on a same or subsequent day reassemble to loiter or remain so as to obstruct the free passage of travelers or motor vehicles; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to deny the rights of peaceful picketing. It shall be the duty of any police officer of the Town of Wilmington to order any persons offending against provisions of this section to move on and disperse and if the person so ordered or requested does not forthwith obey, to remove them, or to arrest and cause them to be brought before the Justice of the Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex and a complaint to be made against provisions of the preceding sentence. Finance Committee approved. Voted by voice unanimously.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 8A of Chapter 184 of the General Laws (providing that the grantee of real estate shall notify the Town Assessors of the name and address of the purchaser of such property) or take any action in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Assessors.

Motion by Mr. Anthony E. Krzeminski: "I move that the Town vote to accept Section 8A of Chapter 184 of the General Laws (providing that the grantee of real estate shall notify the Town Assessors of the name and address of the purchaser of such property)." Finance Committee approved. Voted by voice unanimously.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Way, the layout of Allen Place as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of the law relating to the assessment of Betterments, which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein mentioned is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements therefor, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen and Town Engineer.

Motion to pass over this article and take no action voted.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Beeching Avenue as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of the law relating to the assessment of Betterments, which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein mentioned is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements therefor, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen and Town Engineer.

Motion to pass over this article and take no action voted.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Jere Road as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of the law relating to the assessment of Betterments, which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein mentioned is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements therefor, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen and Town Engineer.

Motion by Mr. Boylen: "I move that the Town vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Jere Road as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of the law relating to the assessment of Betterments, which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which with plans therein mentioned is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article; and that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$28, 140.00 for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements or other easements, of which \$1,440.00 is to be raised by taxation, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum or sums in the amount of \$26,700.00 and to issue bonds or notes therefor as authorized by Chapter 44 of the General Laws." Finance Committee - no recommendation. Vote taken by standing - Yes - 63 No - 29 Motion carried.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Elwood Road as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of the law relating to the assessment of Betterments, which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein mentioned is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope and easements and other easements therefor, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen and Town Engineer.

ARTICLE 37 (continued)

Motion by Mr. Banda: "I move that the Town vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Elwood Road as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of the law relating to the assessment of Betterments, which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein mentioned is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board or Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article; and that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$14,330.00 for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements or other easements, of which \$730.00 is to be raised by taxation, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum or sums in the amount of \$13,600.00 and to issue bonds or notes therefor as authorized by Chapter 44 of the General Laws." Finance Committee - no recommendation. Vote taken by voice and it was voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 38. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purpose of installing a six-inch water line in the Wildwood Cemetery, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Cemetery Department.

Motion by Mr. Miceli: "I move we pass over Article 38." So voted.

The question of a quorum being present at the meeting at this time was determined by standing. There were 196 voters present.

Mrs. Hooper asked for reconsideration of Article #5 at this time. Motion was lost.

Voter asked for reconsideration of Article #36 at this time. -Motion was lost.

ARTICLE 39. We, the undersigned, respectfully petition to the Town of Wilmington to amend the Zoning By-Law and Map by voting to rezone from Single Residence A District to Industrial District, the parcels of land described as follows: Parcel 1. Southwesterly, Southerly and Southeasterly by Concord Street 1686.47 feet; Easterly and Northeasterly by land of the Boston and Maine Corporation, 1899.0 feet; Northeasterly and Northerly by land now or formerly of Cole and/or Wilmington Development Co., Inc. 474.5 feet; Northwesternly by land now or formerly of Christine Lopez, 264 feet; Westerly by land now or formerly of Sylvester Carter, 584.9 feet; Northwesternly by land now or formerly of Sylvester Carter, 214.5 feet; Northerly by land now or formerly of Reitchel, 240 feet; and Northwesternly by land now or formerly of Stevens, 271 feet. Parcel 2. Beginning at the Northerly corner of the premises at land now or formerly of Johnathan Carter's heirs and land formerly of Alexander White; thence the line runs Easterly by said White land and land now or formerly of Sylvester Carter about one hundred and ninety-one (191) feet to a private way called Mystic Street; thence Southerly by said Mystic Street to a corner at a brook; thence Westerly by said brook upstream to a corner at land now or formerly of John Kenney; thence Northerly by said Kenney's land and land of said Carter's heirs to the point of beginning. Parcel 3. Beginning at said Mystic Street, the line runs easterly by land now or formerly of Owen Devine to a corner; thence Southeasterly by land last named to a stake and stones to a ditch and land formerly of Sylvester Carter; thence Westerly by said ditch and last mentioned land to a brook at land now or formerly of August Grossman; thence Northwesternly by said brook upstream to said Mystic Street; thence Northerly by said street to the point of beginning; or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Wilmington Development Co., Inc. (Planning Board voted to recommend disapproval in the report to the Town Meeting.)

Motion by Mr. John M. Callan, who first asked the meeting if he need read the motion since it followed the article. Mrs. Pederson asked him to read it; this was done and the motion was lost by a standing vote: Yes - 4 No - 140

There being no further business the Moderator declared the meeting adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

There were four hundred seventy-one (471) voters checked in at this meeting.

ARTICLES VOTED BY TAXATION	\$ 50,382.88
ARTICLES VOTED BY TRANSFER	2,960.00
ARTICLES VOTED BY BONDS	<u>1,715,020.00</u>
	\$1,768,362.88

TOTAL APPROPRIATED

\$6,951,138.53

BY TAXATION	\$4,925,817.02
BY TRANSFER	310,301.51
BY BONDS	<u>1,715,020.00</u>
	\$6,951,138.53

Attest:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY - WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM, CHURCH STREET - APRIL 30, 1968

At 9:45 a.m. the Warden, Mr. Harold E. Melzar read the warrant.

The two ballot boxes were opened and examined by the Warden, Town Clerk, Clerk for the election, Mrs. Eleanor O'Keeffe, the ballot machine clerks, William H. Russell and William F. Smith and the Police Officer in attendance, Officer Ritchie. All were in agreement that both boxes were empty and that both registers read 00000. Both ballot boxes were locked and the keys given to the police officer.

The Warden signed a receipt for four boxes of Republican Ballots said to contain (2709) and four boxes of Democratic ballots said to contain (3743). Total number of ballots (6452). The receipt for these ballots was forthwith given to the Town Clerk by the Police Officer.

The Election Officers were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties. The ballots were delivered to the ballot clerks.

At 10:00 a.m. the Warden declared the Polls open. At 8:00 p.m. the Warden declared the polls closed.

There were 819 Democratic votes cast. There were 271 Republican votes cast. Total ballots cast - 1090. Two spoiled ballots were returned. Total unused ballots on hand - 5360.

All the ballots cast were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following, namely:

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

REPUBLICAN PARTY

Presidential Preference

Eugene J. McCarthy	297
Robert Kennedy	229
Johnson	27
Humphrey	147
Wallace	3
Rockefeller	8
Volpe	1
Nixon	3
E. Kennedy	5
Others	5
Blanks	<u>94</u>
	819

District Delegates (5th District)

Daniel P. Kiley, Jr.	373
John E. Harrington, Jr.	425
Joseph M. Cronin	146
Jeffrey R. Golin	145
Blanks	<u>549</u>
	1638

Presidential Preference

John A. Volpe	70
Rockefeller	64
Nixon	85
McCarthy	27
Others	15
Blanks	<u>10</u>
	271

District Delegate (5th District)

Paul W. Cronin	192
Ronald C. MacKenzie	238
Others	8
Blanks	<u>104</u>
	542

Alternate Delegates (5th District)

Marianne W. Brenton	196
Patricia S. Qua	195
Blanks	<u>151</u>
	542

DEMOCRATIC PARTYAlternate Delegates (5th District)

Lawrence P. Smith	382
Claire Buckley Dwyer	412
Others	2
Blanks	842
	<u>1638</u>

State Committee (7th Middlesex District)

<u>Man</u>	
Edward P. Gilgun	339
John F. Cogan, Jr.	204
Leonard H. Harmon	97
Blanks	179
	<u>819</u>

State Committee (7th Middlesex District)

<u>Woman</u>	
Claire Buckley Dwyer	94
Anna M. Visconti	634
Blanks	91
	<u>819</u>

Town Committee (Group #1)

James L. McLaughlin	376
Elizabeth Kelley	384
Anna M. Visconti	510
Alice M. Chisholm	368
Mary L. Cunningham	382
Eleanor F. O'Keefe	361
Oliver A. Aruda	347
Ernest M. Crispo	402
William J. Fay, Jr.	397
Anthony Visconti	412
Henry J. Gregory (deceased) (Counted as blanks)	
Diana C. Imbimbo	442
Timothy J. Kane	346
Fred F. Cain	422
James F. Banda	431
Maynard C. Eaton	361
Gerald A. Fagan	432
John W. McCann	356
Alfred E. Lynch	385
Leo F. Harrington	354
Ralph D. Peterson	344
Peter Enos	349
Florence E. Borofsky	343
Rudolph B. Russo	335
Mary J. Brennan	346
Alice C. Sadler	322
John Brooks	395
David I. Elfman	385
Aldo A. Caira	350
Simon Cutter	402
Barbara A. Peterson	339
Mary S. McLaughlin	343
Elizabeth L. Haley	345
Vincent J. Haley	341
Arthur Elfman	146

Town Committee (Group #2)

James P. Donahue	161
Mary G. Tedesco	152
Albert L. Parsons	116

REPUBLICAN PARTYState Committee (7th Middlesex District)

<u>Man</u>	
Andrew T. Card	225
Blanks	45
Other	1
	<u>271</u>

State Committee (7th Middlesex District)

<u>Woman</u>	
Marion E. Hunt	228
Blanks	43
	<u>271</u>

DEMOCRATIC PARTY - continuedTown Committee (Group #2) - continued

Kenneth J. Cleary	128
Edward J. Curtis	129
Thomas J. Reidy, Jr.	123
Rocco V. DePasquale	142
James G. Duggan	137
Therese B. Severin	97
Katherine E. Leverone	165
Michael D'Errico	116
Martin M. Leverone	159
Others	1
Blanks	14,487
	<u>28,665</u>

After the declaration of the vote, the meeting was adjourned at 2:00 a.m. on May 1, 1968.

Attest: (Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - June 26, 1968  
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

The Moderator, Mr. Simon Cutter called the meeting to order at 8:10 p.m. and read the Warrant as follows:

To either of the Constables of the Town of Wilmington: GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in the manner prescribed in the By-Laws of said Town, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet and assemble at the Barrows Auditorium on Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day of June, 1968 at 8:00 p.m. to consider and act on the following Articles: - At this point in the reading a motion was made to dispense with further reading of said Warrant. Voted. Mr. Cutter declared he would waive the reading of each article and refer to each by number only. There were no objections and this procedure was followed.

ARTICLE I. To see if the Town will vote to amend the action of the Annual Town Meeting of March 9, 1968 by reducing the appropriation to be raised by taxation for the Welfare Aids Account contained in Article 3A, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. James R. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to amend the action of the Annual Town Meeting of March 9, 1968 by reducing the appropriation to be raised by taxation for the Welfare Aids Account contained in Article 3A by the sum of one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) dollars so that the sum of money appropriated to be raised by taxation for said Welfare Aids Account as amended shall be in the amount of ninety-four thousand six hundred seventy-five and 51/100 (\$94,675.51) dollars.

Mr. Miceli also read the following memo into the minutes: "To the best of my knowledge and belief, the present appropriation for the Welfare Department can be reduced by \$100,000.00. Signed: Walter F. Coleman, Director." Finance Committee recommended approval. Motion voted by voice.

ARTICLE II. To see if the Town will authorize the transfer of a certain sum of money from the Water Available Surplus Account to the Legal Settlements account on account of damages paid, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. James F. Banda: "I move that the Town authorize the transfer of fifty thousand two hundred sixty-four and 67/100 (\$50,264.67) dollars from the Water Available Surplus Account to the Legal Settlements Account on account of damages paid." Finance Committee recommended approval. Motion voted by voice unanimously.

ARTICLE III. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purpose of having a complete job description, pay plan, and job evaluation for the employees of the Town of Wilmington, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen and Town Manager.

Motion by Mr. George W. Boylen, Jr.: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of six thousand (\$6,000.00) dollars for the purpose of having a complete job description, pay plan, and job evaluation for the employees of the Town of Wilmington." Finance Committee recommended approval. Motion voted by voice.

There being no further business the Moderator declared the meeting adjourned at 8:19 p.m.

There were three hundred sixty-one (361) voters checked in at this meeting.

Attest: (Mrs.) Margaret A. Wagstaff  
Asst. Town Clerk

STATE PRIMARY - WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM, CHURCH STREET - September 17, 1968

To either of the Constables of the Town of Wilmington:

GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the High School Gymnasium, Church Street on Tuesday, the Seventeenth Day of September 1968 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

(1) REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS	5th Congressional District
(1) COUNCILLOR	6th Councillor District
(1) SENATOR, MIDDLESEX	7th Senatorial District
(1) REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT, MIDDLESEX	25th Representative District
(2) COUNTY COMMISSIONER	Middlesex County
(1) SHERIFF	Middlesex County

The polls will be open from ten o'clock a.m. to eight o'clock p.m.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1968.

SIGNED/Wavie M. Drew	)	
SIGNED/James R. Miceli	)	Selectmen of the
SIGNED/Charles H. Black	)	Town of Wilmington
SIGNED/James F. Banda	)	

#### CONSTABLES RETURN OF SERVICE

Middlesex, ss.

Wilmington, Massachusetts

September 6, 1968

In accordance with the By-Laws of the Town of Wilmington, I this day posted five true and attested copies of the within State Primary Warrant, at the following locations: Town Hall Bulletin Board; Elia's Country Store Middlesex Avenue; Public Library, Middlesex Avenue; Police Station, Adelaide Street and Post Office, Church Street, all in said Wilmington.

SIGNED/John Imbimbo  
Constable of Wilmington

Attest:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

All the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

<u>DEMOCRATIC PARTY</u>		<u>REPUBLICAN PARTY</u>	
<u>Congressman (Fifth District)</u>		<u>Congressman (Fifth District)</u>	
Robert C. Maguire	385	F. Bradford Morse	157
Blanks	52	Blanks	4
Others	1		161
	438		
<u>Councillor (Sixth District)</u>		<u>Councillor (Sixth District)</u>	
G. Edward Bradley	355	Harry G. Chickles	139
Blanks	83	Blanks	22
	438		161
<u>Senator (Seventh Middlesex District)</u>		<u>Senator (Seventh Middlesex District)</u>	
Christom G. Larsin	115	Ronald C. MacKenzie	157
John J. Maguire	297	Blanks	4
Blanks	26		161
	438		

DEMOCRATIC PARTYREPUBLICAN PARTYRepresentative in General Court  
(Twenty-fifth Middlesex District)

Fred F. Cain	360
Blanks	78
	<u>438</u>

County Commissioners (Middlesex County)

Frederick J. Connors	244
John F. Dever, Jr.	275
William J. Buckley	207
Blanks	150
	<u>876</u>

Sheriff (Middlesex County)

Howard W. Fitzpatrick	298
Charles J. Biondo	126
Blanks	13
Scattering	1
	<u>438</u>

Representative in General Court  
(Twenty-fifth Middlesex District)

Blanks	157
Scattering	5
	<u>161</u>

County Commissioners (Middlesex County)

Blanks	317
Jessie Rogers	3
Scattering	2
	<u>322</u>

Sheriff (Middlesex County)

Blanks	150
Richard J. Barry	5
George C. Robinson	5
Scattering	1
	<u>161</u>

There were five hundred and ninety-nine ballots cast.

ATTEST:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - September 30, 1968  
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

To either of the Constables of the Town of Wilmington:

GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in the manner prescribed in the By-Laws of said Town, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet and assemble at the Barrows Auditorium on Monday, the thirtieth day of September, 1968 at 8:00 p.m. to consider and act on the following Article:

ARTICLE 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum of money by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school on land acquired by the Town off Hopkins Street and Shawsheen Avenue, and to authorize and instruct the Permanent Building Committee to enter into contracts and to do all things that are necessary to constructing and originally equipping and furnishing said elementary school, or take any action relative thereto. Request of the Permanent Building Committee.

Whereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, or a certified copy thereof with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be and before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal of said Town this eighteenth day of September, A. D., One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-eight.

SIGNED/George W. Boylen, Jr.)  
SIGNED/ Wavie M. Drew ) Selectmen of the  
SIGNED/ James R. Miceli ) Town of Wilmington  
SIGNED/James F. Banda )

Attest: (Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

CONSTABLES' RETURN OF SERVICE

Middlesex, ss.

Wilmington, Massachusetts

September 19, 1968

In accordance with the By-Laws of the Town of Wilmington, I this day posted five (5) true and attested copies of the within Special Town Meeting Warrant at the following locations: Town Hall Bulletin Board; Elia's Country Store, Middlesex Avenue; Public Library, Middlesex Avenue; Police Station, Adelaide Street, and the Post Office, Church Street, all in said Wilmington.

SIGNED/ John Imbimbo  
Constable of Wilmington

Attest:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

The Moderator, Mr. Simon Cutter called the meeting to order at 8:05 p.m., there being a quorum present. Mr. Cutter read the Warrant as noted above and called for a motion under Article 1.

Mr. Robert B. Michelson moved the adoption of the following motion: "I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) in addition to the sum appropriated at the 1968 Annual Town Meeting, for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school on land acquired by the Town off Hopkins Street and Shawsheen Avenue, and to meet said appropriation, that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum or sums not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) under the authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended, and to issue bonds or notes therefor, payable in not more than twenty years, and that the Permanent Building Committee be and hereby is authorized in the name and on behalf of the Town to enter into contracts and to do all things that are necessary for constructing and originally equipping and furnishing said elementary school." The Finance Committee approved the motion as read. Mr. Michelson spoke on the motion. The motion was put to a vote by the Moderator, the vote was unanimous and so declared by the Moderator.

There being no further business the Moderator called the meeting adjourned. The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.

There were one hundred and eighty-seven (187) duly registered voters checked in at this meeting.

Attest:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

STATE ELECTION - WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM, CHURCH STREET - November 5, 1968

To either of the Constables of the Town of Wilmington:

GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in the manner prescribed in the By-Laws of said Town, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town qualified by law to vote, to meet and assemble at the High School Gymnasium on Tuesday, the fifth day of November next at 5:45 o'clock in the forenoon, the polls to be open at 6:00 a.m. and shall be closed at 8:00 p.m., for the election of the following: Electors of President and Vice President; (1) Representative in Congress; (1) Councillor; (1) Senator; (1) Representative in General Court; (2) County Commissioners; (1) Sheriff; and vote YES or NO on the following questions:

QUESTION NO. 1. Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held June 16, 1965, received 210 votes in the affirmative and 26 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 10, 1967, received 220 votes in the affirmative and 9 in the negative?

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment of the Constitution increases from five days to ten days the period of time the Constitution gives the Governor to act upon measures passed by the Legislature and submitted to him for

YES  
NO

approval. No other changes are made in the several Constitutional provisions relative to action by the Governor upon such measures.

QUESTION NO. 2. Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held August 30, 1966, received 188 votes in the affirmative and 46 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 10, 1967, received 174 votes in the affirmative and 78 in the negative?

YES  
NO

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment to the Constitution authorizes the Legislature to impose an income tax graduated according to total income, and authorizes the granting of reasonable exemptions, deductions and abate-ments, as an alternative to the exercise of the Legislature's existing power to tax income under Article 44 of the Amendments to the Constitution. Without limiting the foregoing authorization, the proposed amendment permits any such tax to be imposed at a uniform percentage of an individual's federal income tax liability or at graduated rates applied to his total income taxable federally, and it permits reasonable variations of any federal provision. It requires that the graduated rates, exemptions, and deductions be set without regard to the kind of income being taxed.

QUESTION NO. 3. Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held July 20, 1966, received 225 votes in the affirmative and 1 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held June 15, 1967, received 210 votes in the affirmative and 2 in the negative.

YES  
NO

SUMMARY

The proposed amendment of the Constitution defines the circumstances in which a Governor's inability to perform his functions shall cause his office to become vacant, and it establishes a procedure for making the necessary determinations. The office will become vacant following a declaration of disability by the Governor himself or by the Chief Justice and a majority of the Associate Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court, or such other body as the Legislature may provide. The vacancy will terminate four days after the Governor declares that no disability exists, unless (1) within that period the Chief Justice and majority of the Associate Justices, or such other body provided by the Legislature should make a contrary declaration and (2) within another stated period the Legislature, by two-thirds of each branch present and voting, then determines the issue contrary to the Governor's declaration.

The same procedure will also apply to a Lieutenant Governor who in the case of a vacancy is performing the Governor's duties.

The proposed amendment also requires the election of a Governor for the unexpired balance of the four-year term if a vacancy in the office of Governor as described in the proposed amendment continues for a six-month period expiring more than five months prior to a biennial state election other than an election for Governor.

QUESTION NO. 4. Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, upon which the House of Representatives did not vote and upon which the Senate did not vote?

YES  
NO

SUMMARY

The proposed law provides that the official ballot in the biennial State election for the year 1970 shall contain a question asking the voters whether there shall be a convention in 1971 to (1) revise, alter or amend the constitution of the Commonwealth on the following subjects insofar as they relate to the structure of government and no others; the Executive Branch; the General Court; the Executive Council; the government of cities, towns and counties and their relationship to each other and to the government of the Commonwealth; (2) simplify and rearrange the constitution, and (3) provide methods of amendment thereof. The question will state that the convention shall not consider or propose any measure which relates to the Massachusetts Declaration of Rights, the provisions of the Massachusetts constitution concerning the 'Judiciary Power' (other than provisions respecting the Executive Council), or any of the excluded matters enumerated in Article XLVIII, II, Section 2 of the Massachusetts constitution. The question will fix the number of delegates to the convention at 150, of whom 20 members shall be members of the General Court; the remaining 130 members shall be elected by the voters in the manner summarized below. The question will also state that the convention shall conclude its business not later than 120 days from its first session.

The proposed law provides that if a majority of the votes on the foregoing question is in the affirmative, the convention shall be held in July, 1971 to revise, alter or amend the constitution on the matters

enumerated above only. The House of Representatives and the Senate shall each elect as delegates 10 of its members, not more than 6 from each branch coming from the same political party. Of the remaining 130 delegates, 10 shall be elected at large and 120 shall be elected from the 40 senatorial districts, 3 from each. Provision is made for the manner of nominating and electing these 130 delegates, without party or political designation, for filling vacancies occurring in the position of any delegate, from whatever source chosen, and for the conduct of the convention's business.

Any revisions, alterations and amendments of the Massachusetts constitution adopted by the convention shall be submitted to the people at the State election in 1972 for their ratification and adoption in such manner as the convention may direct. If a majority of the people voting thereon ratify and adopt such revision, alteration or amendment, the constitution shall be deemed to be changed accordingly.

The proposed law also provides that if the vote on the question to be submitted at the biennial State election in 1970 is in the affirmative, the Governor shall appoint a preparatory commission of 5 members to compile data to aid the convention in the discharge of its duties. Each member of the commission shall receive compensation of \$10,000 and the commission may expend a sum not in excess of \$200,000, as the Governor may approve for its expenses.

QUESTION NO. 5.

A. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

YES

NO

B. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

YES

NO

C. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

YES

NO

D. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale of all alcoholic beverages by hotels having a dining room capacity of not less than ninety-nine persons and lodging capacity of not less than fifty rooms?

YES

NO

QUESTION NO. 6.

"Shall the commonwealth of Massachusetts retain capital punishment for crime?"

YES

NO

QUESTION NO. 7.

"Shall commuter railroad service to and from this town to the city of Boston be continued?"

YES

NO

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, or a certified copy thereof, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, as soon as may be and before said meeting.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS AND SEAL OF SAID TOWN this 18th Day of October, A.D., ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHT.

SIGNED/George W. Boylen, Jr. )

SIGNED/Wavie M. Drew )

SIGNED/James R. Miceli )

SIGNED/James F. Banda )

Selectmen of the

Town of Wilmington

CONSTABLES' RETURN OF SERVICE

Middlesex, ss.

Wilmington, Massachusetts

October 19, 1968

In accordance with the By-Laws of the Town of Wilmington, I this day posted six (6) attested copies of the within Warrant for State Election, at the following locations: Town Hall Bulletin Board; Police Station, Adelaide Street; Fire Station, Church Street; Post Office, Church Street; Elia's Country Store, Middlesex Avenue and the Public Library, Middlesex Avenue, all in said Wilmington.

SIGNED/A. John Imbimbo

Constable of Wilmington

Attest:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell

Town Clerk

All the ballots given in therefor were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made, as by law is directed, and were for the following persons, namely:

ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Blomen and Taylor, One	1
Humphrey and Muskie, Three thousand seven hundred forty	3740
Munn and Fisher, Three	3
Nixon and Agnew, Two thousand one hundred fifty-six	2156
Wallace and Griffin, Two hundred eighty-seven	287
Blanks, Thirty-two	32
	<u>6219</u>

Included in the above totals are thirteen (13) partial ballot presidential votes.

CONGRESSMAN - Fifth District

F. Bradford Morse, Three thousand six hundred fifty-five	3655
Robert C. Maguire, Two thousand four hundred forty-eight	2448
Blanks, One hundred three	103
	<u>6206</u>

COUNCILLOR - Sixth District

G. Edward Bradley, Three thousand four hundred twelve	3412
Harry G. Chickles, Two thousand three hundred seventy-two	2372
Blanks, Four hundred twenty-two	422
	<u>6206</u>

SENATOR - Seventh Middlesex District

Ronald C. MacKenzie, Three thousand four hundred ninety-five	3495
John J. Maguire, Two Thousand five hundred eighty-eight	2588
Blanks, One hundred twenty-three	123
	<u>6206</u>

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT - Twenty-fifth District

Fred F. Cain, Five Thousand sixty-six	5066
Blanks, One thousand one hundred seven	1107
Blanks, Thirty-three	33
	<u>6206</u>

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS - Middlesex County

Frederick J. Connors, Four thousand twenty-six	4026
John F. Dever, Jr., Four thousand five hundred one	4501
Blanks, Three thousand eight hundred eighty-two	3882
Others, Three	3
	<u>12412</u>

SHERIFF - Middlesex County

Howard W. Fitzpatrick, Four thousand nine hundred sixty-six	4966
Blanks, One thousand two hundred thirty-two	1232
Others, Eight	8
	<u>6206</u>

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Yes	4036
No	1393
Blanks	777
	<u>6206</u>

QUESTION #2. Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held August 30, 1966, received 188 votes in the affirmative and 46 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held May 10, 1967, received 174 votes in the affirmative and 78 in the negative?

Yes	1443
No	4078
Blanks	685
	<u>6206</u>

QUESTION #3. Proposed Amendment to the Constitution

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held July 20, 1966, received 225 votes in the affirmative and 1 in the negative, and in a joint session of the two branches held June 15, 1967, received 210 votes in the affirmative and 2 in the negative?

Yes	3839
No	1326
Blanks	<u>1041</u>
	6206

QUESTION #4. Law Proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below, upon which the House of Representatives did not vote and upon which the Senate did not vote?

Yes	2600
No	2009
Blanks	<u>1597</u>
	6206

QUESTION #5.

A. Shall licenses be granted in this city (or town) for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes	2477
No	3146
Blanks	<u>583</u>
	6206

B. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes	2509
No	2891
Blanks	<u>806</u>
	6206

C. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not be drunk on the premises?

Yes	4759
No	959
Blanks	<u>488</u>
	6206

D. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale of all alcoholic beverages by hotels having a dining room capacity of not less than ninety-nine persons and lodging capacity of not less than fifty rooms?

Yes	3014
No	2394
Blanks	<u>798</u>
	6206

QUESTION #6. Shall the commonwealth of Massachusetts retain capital punishment for crime?

Yes	3712
No	2116
Blanks	<u>378</u>
	6206

QUESTION #7. Shall commuter railroad service to and from this town to the city of Boston be continued?

Yes	5016
No	817
Blanks	<u>373</u>
	6206

The polls opened at 6:00 a.m. and closed at 8:00 p.m.

Attest:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

# Town Accountant

## ANALYSIS OF CASH ACCOUNT Year Ending 12/31/68

Balance as of January 1, 1968	663,506.88
Add: Cash Receipts 1968	<u>14,790,014.10</u>
	15,453,520.98
Deduct: Cash Expenditures 1968	<u>14,480,107.90</u>
Balance on Hand 12/31/68	973,413.08

## ANALYSIS OF CASH RECEIVED

### Tax Collections:

Prior Years Levies		
Personal Property	3,435.25	
Real Estate Taxes	<u>181,422.41</u>	184,857.66
Current Levies		
Personal Property	124,358.50	
Real Estate Taxes	<u>3,227,657.23</u>	3,352,015.73
Betterments Added to Taxes		
Water - Prior Levy	2,325.31	
Current Levy	<u>7,396.03</u>	9,721.34
Street - Prior Levy	686.86	
Current Levy	<u>8,229.67</u>	8,916.53
Water Liens Added to Taxes		
Prior Liens	2,590.89	
Current Liens	<u>9,201.55</u>	11,792.44
Tax Titles & Possessions		
Tax Titles Redeemed		8,073.59
Assessments Paid in Advance		
Water	805.72	
Street	<u>4,619.03</u>	5,424.75
Unapportioned Assessments Paid in Advance		
Water		1,131.52
Deferred Water Betterments Paid in Advance		<u>254.10</u>
		3,582,187.66

## AMOUNTS BORROWED

### Short Term Loans:

To Pay Expenditures of Town Departments		
Until Taxes are Collected	1,300,000.00	
Temporary Loan, Anticipation of Bond		
Issue (School)	200,000.00	
Highway Loan, Chapter 81 & 90		
Construction	<u>74,025.00</u>	1,574,025.00

### Long Term Loans:

Shawsheen Avenue School Bonds	1,674,720.00	
School Addition Bonds (Woburn St. School)	25,000.00	
Wilmington Memorial Library Bonds	485,000.00	
Street Betterment Loans		
(Jere & Elwood Roads)	<u>40,300.00</u>	<u>2,225,020.00</u>
		<u>3,799,045.00</u>

GRANTS AND GIFTS

Federal Aid:

Charities:

Administration Accounts	12,538.27	
Aid to Dependent Children	37,727.29	
Old Age Assistance	16,011.05	
Medical Assistance	144,757.14	
Disability Assistance	5,160.56	216,194.31

Schools:

Federal Employment Act PL 874	40,009.00	
National Defense Education Act PL 85-864	9,131.36	
George Barden Fund PL 88-210	2,200.00	
Reading Program, Low Income Families	15,587.00	
Head Start Program	10,676.00	77,603.36

Public Grants:

Commonwealth of Mass., Chapter 81 & 90	48,774.73	
Middlesex County, Chapter 90	14,962.37	
State Aid to Free Public Libraries	3,118.75	66,855.85
		360,653.52

REVOLVING FUNDS

School Lunch Program:

School Receipts	167,403.37	
State Reimbursements	53,726.35	221,129.72
High School Athletic Association		8,555.95
		229,685.67

RESTRICTED RECEIPTS

Guaranteed Water Deposits:

Water	26,379.13	
Sewer	1,235.54	27,614.67

Water Department:

Water Rates	215,046.41	
Water Miscellaneous	6,236.25	
Water Installation Balances	3,677.67	
Water Available Surplus (Sale of Obsolete Equip.)	125.00	225,085.33
Refunds & Reimbursements (Appropriations)	119,442.36	
Surplus Revenue Refunds	671.26	120,113.62

Recoveries:

Charities	3,472.00	
Veterans Benefits	1,856.06	5,328.06
Sale of Town Owned Land		20,011.00
Sale of Cemetery Lots		6,110.00
Tailings Account (Unclaimed Checks)		3,601.03
Recording Fees		216.00
Pro-Forma Taxes Collected		271.09
Accrued Interest, Sale of Bonds		6,033.88
Premium, Sale of Bonds		9,557.88
Group Insurance Dividend		1,674.00
		425,616.56

AGENCY AND TRUST FUNDS

Short Term Investments - Treasury Bills	4,050,000.00
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Employee Deductions:

Federal Withholding Taxes	459,861.58	
State Withholding Taxes	78,687.78	
Retirement System Deductions	59,332.09	
Group Life Insurance Deductions	3,737.72	
U.S. Savings Bond Deductions	1,050.00	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield Deductions	29,693.74	632,362.91
Cemetery Perpetual Care Bequests		800.00
Fish and Game Licenses Collected for the State		4,150.00
Dog Licenses Collected for the County Treasurer		3,342.75
		4,690,655.66

# ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

<u>Income and Sales Tax:</u>		
Schools	488,893.90	
Valuation Basis Distribution	<u>188,772.53</u>	677,666.43
Meal Taxes		3,305.84
Reimbursement - Loss of Taxes		817.21
<u>Motor Vehicle Excise Collections:</u>		
Prior Levies	38,513.49	
Current Levy	<u>347,397.43</u>	385,910.92
Farm Animal Excise Collections		254.99
Sewer Rentals and Rates		14,906.86
Licenses, Liquor		4,000.00
<u>Interest and Costs:</u>		
Short Term Investments	35,812.17	
Tax Collections	15,895.13	
Water Demands	2,998.45	
Tax Titles Redeemed	2,185.35	
Accrued Interest - Anticipation of Bond Issue	<u>116.23</u>	57,007.43
<u>Municipal Receipts:</u>		
Selectmen	703.50	
Collector	1,261.25	
Town Clerk	4,496.96	
Planning Board	77.40	
Police Department	1,494.75	
Ambulance Services	1,702.00	
Building Department:		
Building Permits	10,399.00	
Wire Permits	2,263.75	
Gas Permits	<u>816.50</u>	13,479.25
Sealer of Weights & Measures		208.00
Highway Department		22.44
Cemetery Department		6,735.00
Health and Sanitation:		
Licenses and Permits	3,699.78	
Plumbing Permits	1,538.00	
Nurses Receipts	<u>232.50</u>	5,470.28
Charities:		
General Relief	2,225.19	
Aid to Dependent Children	29,762.44	
Old Age Assistance	10,149.32	
Medical Assistance	145,057.43	
Disability Assistance	<u>2,598.12</u>	189,792.50
Veterans' Benefits		15,968.55
Schools:		
Division of Child Guardianship		
Tuition and Transportation	31,180.67	
Transportation	54,995.53	
Evening School Fees	549.60	
School Construction Reimb.	209,525.48	
Miscellaneous Receipts	222.36	
Vocational Educ. Receipts	703.13	
Driver Education Fees	<u>2,379.00</u>	299,555.77
Library Fines		1,453.60
Recreation, Sale of Beach Tags		28.00
Insurance Claims & Reimbursements		542,449.25
New England Tel. & Tel. Comm.		3,529.74
Third District Court Fines		98.81
Fourth District Court Fines		35.00
Middlesex County Fines		9,018.70
Employers Compensation - State		199.00
Withholding Tax		417.35
Dog License Reimbursements		1,633.45
Director of Standards, Licenses		19.00
Dog Immunization Clinic		761.25
Misc. Fees & Postage Reimb.		<u>138.80</u>
		1,702,170.03
TOTAL RECEIPTS		<u>\$14,790,014.10</u>

DISBURSEMENTS FROM GENERAL ACCOUNTS  
ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES OTHER THAN THAT RAISED FROM  
APPROPRIATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING 12/31/68

Refunds:			
Real Estate Taxes		29,295.39	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes		13,488.88	
Tax Title Recording Fees		96.00	
Sale of Town Owned Land Recording Fees		120.00	
Street Betterments		88.32	
Unapportioned Water Betterments		364.73	
Water Betterments Paid in Advance		15.27	
Water Department			
Rates	461.52		
Water Liens	15.80		
Water Guaranteed Deposits	<u>2,336.71</u>	2,814.03	
Estimated Receipts		<u>32.26</u>	46,314.
Assessments			
County Tax		75,907.51	
County Hospital		2,063.54	
County Retirement		73,308.00	
State Audit		6,326.25	
State Recreation Areas		10,604.64	
M.D.C. Sewer		55,718.00	
M.D.C. Sewer Connections		7,660.14	
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills		1,475.25	
Metropolitan Area Planning Council		719.69	
Mass Bay Transit Authority		<u>4,891.64</u>	238,674.
Water Department			
Maintenance and Operation		176,360.36	
Water Betterments			
Sudbury Avenue	1,856.69		
Martens Street	<u>1,155.91</u>	3,012.60	
Well Fields			
Chestnut Street	1,877.40		
Main Street	1,602.08		
Develop Three Well Fields	<u>3,406.39</u>	<u>6,885.87</u>	186,258.
Street Betterments			
Ferguson Road		6,170.72	
Jere Road		27,157.57	
Elwood Road		<u>8,960.13</u>	42,288.
Sewer Guaranteed Deposits (Refund)			32.
Temporary Loans:			
Anticipation of Taxes		1,300,000.00	
Anticipation of Bond Issues		200,000.00	
Anticipation of Reimbursement (Highway)		<u>73,750.00</u>	1,573,750.0
Employee Deductions:			
Federal Withholding Taxes		458,968.09	
State Withholding Taxes		78,687.78	
Retirement Deductions		59,332.09	
Group Insurance		3,934.83	
U.S. Savings Bonds		1,050.00	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield		<u>27,574.91</u>	629,547.7
Dog Licenses Due the County			3,166.7
Fish & Game Licenses Due the State			4,150.0
Group Insurance Dividend			881.2
Tailings, Unclaimed Checks			385.7
Premiums, Sale of Bonds			4,679.4
U.S. Treasury Bills (Investment)			5,200,000.0
Federal Grants & Aids:			
Charities:			
Administration:			
Old Age Assistance	136.01		
Medical Assistance	6,984.48		
Disability Assistance	826.06		
Aid to Dependent Children	<u>2,780.72</u>	10,727.27	

Federal Grants & Aids:			
Charities:			
Assistance			
Old Age Assistance	12,983.60		
Medical Assistance	132,875.62		
Aid to Dependent Children	40,620.56		
Disability Assistance	<u>4,285.05</u>	190,764.83	
Schools:			
Federal Employment Act PL 874	32,025.00		
George Barden Fund PL 88/210	2,490.00		
Saturday Reading Program	13,253.71		
Reading Program, Low Income Families	10,857.00		
Head Start Program	<u>10,980.07</u>	<u>69,605.78</u>	271,097.88
School Lunch Program			213,682.44
High School Athletic Association			5,377.13
Cemetery Trust Fund			800.00
Sale of Cemetery Lots (Refund)			50.00
Memorial Flag Account			171.29
Burn Street School Construction			785.00
Burn Street School Addition			265,387.30
Lawsheen Avenue School			189,244.20
West Intermediate School			5,785.11
Elmington Memorial Library			<u>428,269.97</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES FROM GENERAL ACCOUNTS			<u>\$9,310,780.90</u>



Early Settlers in the shadow of the Congregational Church

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 1968

		<u>ASSETS</u>		
Cash			973,413.08	
Short Term Investments				
(Treasury Bills)			1,650,000.00	
Petty Cash Advances			<u>355.00</u>	2,623,768.08
Taxes Uncollected:				
Prior Levies				
Personal Property	1966	870.40		
	1967	720.80		
Real Estate Taxes	1966	129.60		
	1967	<u>34,152.62</u>	35,873.42	
Taxes in Litigation				
Real Estate	1964	476.90		
	1965	564.25		
	1966	<u>1,225.60</u>	2,266.75	
Current Levies				
Personal Property	1968	2,184.00		
Real Estate Taxes	1968	<u>127,888.70</u>	130,072.70	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:				
Prior Levies	1963	680.98		
	1964	955.18		
	1965	2,033.01		
	1966	2,802.13		
	1967	<u>3,769.34</u>	10,240.64	
Current Levy	1968		38,167.24	
Farm Animal Excise Tax	1968		<u>16.01</u>	216,636.76
Tax Titles & Possessions:				
Tax Titles			106,058.36	
Tax Possessions			<u>26,558.42</u>	132,616.78
Assessments Added to Taxes:				
Street Assessments	1967	53.76		
	1968	<u>179.95</u>	233.71	
Committed Street Inter.	1967	38.92		
	1968	<u>109.20</u>	148.12	
Water Assessments	1967	397.95		
	1968	<u>1,069.10</u>	1,467.05	
Committed Water Inter.	1967	279.64		
	1968	<u>691.05</u>	970.69	
Unapportioned Water Betterments			<u>1,343.14</u>	4,162.71
Accounts Receivables:				
Water Department				
Water Rates		16,896.94		
Water Miscellaneous		650.07		
Water Installation Balance		116.54		
Water Liens - 1967		394.65		
	1968	<u>1,531.41</u>	19,589.61	
Water Liens 1965 in Litigation			60.50	
Sewer Rentals			1,075.50	
Highway Department		97.00		
State Aid to Highways		59,050.27		
County Aid to Highways		<u>19,962.63</u>	79,109.90	
Charities				
General Relief		2,359.99		
Medical Assistance		<u>901.52</u>	3,261.51	
Ambulance Services			<u>10,541.00</u>	113,638.00
Unprovided for Accounts:				
Overlay Deficits				
Levy 1964			43.70	
	1967		4,639.10	
	1968		<u>50,525.31</u>	55,208.11
Assessment Underestimates 1968				
State Recreation Assessment			1,399.15	
M.D.C. Sewer Assessment			492.40	
County Retirement Assessment			11,308.00	
Mass Bay Transit Authority			<u>.14</u>	13,199.69
Appropriation Overdraft				
(Snow & Ice Removal, 1967)			7,443.39	
Legal Settlement, Balance 1967			<u>.09</u>	75,851.20
Loans Authorized				<u>174,860.00</u>
<u>TOTAL ASSETS</u>				<u>\$3,341,533.60</u>

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 1968

LIABILITIES & RESERVES

Temporary Loans, Anticipation of Reimbursement (Highway)			74,025.00
Employee Payroll Deductions:			
Group Insurance Deductions	171.46		
Blue Cross/Blue Shield Deductions,	2,110.07		
Blue Cross/Blue Shield Deductions, Teachers	8.76		
Federal Withholding Deductions	893.49		3,183.78
Water Guaranteed Deposits			1,301.11
Agency Accounts:			
Dog Licenses due the County			207.00
Billings, unclaimed checks			3,859.09
Assigned Tax Titles			44.62
Accrued Interest, Sale of Bonds			6,033.88
Premium, Sale of Bonds			4,878.43
Recoveries, Charities			5,540.25
Sale of Town Owned Lands			19,259.77
Old Age Assistance, Accts./Rec.	2,597.00		
Aid to Dependent Children, Accts./Rec.	5,299.00		
Disability Assistance, Accts./Rec.	625.54		8,521.54
Federal Grants:			
Charities			
Old Age Assistance, Admin.	687.39		
Medical Assistance, Admin.	1,739.72		
Aid to Dependent Children, Admin.	968.47		
Disability Assistance, Admin.	852.07	4,247.65	
Old Age Assistance, Assistance	5,857.85		
Medical Assistance, Assistance	14,643.74		
Aid to Dependent Children, Assist.	2,470.86		
Disability Assistance, Assist.	1,751.49	24,723.94	
Schools			
National Defense Educ. PL 85/865	32,752.97		
Federal Employment Act PL 874	62,100.48		
George Barden Fund PL 88/210	215.27		
Reading Program, Low Income Families	4,670.00		
Head Start Program	107.34	99,846.06	
Aid to Cuban Refugees		122.50	128,940.15
State Aid to Free Public Libraries			3,118.75
Revolving Funds:			
School Lunch Program		13,186.63	
High School Athletic Association		5,102.18	18,288.81
Group Insurance Dividend			792.77
Appropriation Balances:			
Town Treasurer, Tax Titles		1,768.18	
Planning Board, Expenses	45.00		
Planning Board, Planning Consultant	5,900.00		
Planning Board, Professional Service	75.00	6,020.00	
Civil Defense		1,535.72	
Highway Department, Expenses		1,550.00	
Chapter 90 Construction, 1966	14,578.36		
1967	34,200.00		
1968	9,000.00	57,778.36	
School Maintenance, Outlay	3,543.60		
Purchase Hot Water			
Heating System	2,051.82	5,595.42	
Maintenance of Town Buildings, Exp.	418.69		
Outlay	9,500.00	9,918.69	
Permanent Building Committee, Eng. Ser.		13,442.50	
Appraisals		10,000.00	
Job Description Pay Plan & Evaluation		2,410.00	
Revised Preliminary Plans, Shawsheen Ave. School		4,000.00	
Purchase Land by Eminent Domain (St. Thomas Church)		100.00	
Purchase Land, Whitefield Terrace		1,750.00	

# LIABILITIES & RESERVES

## Appropriation Balances: (continued)

Nichols Street Land Damage		1,775.00	
Construct Nichols Street Bridge		2,000.00	
Aldrich Road Well Site		50.00	
Town Beach Improvements		1,407.57	
Repair Roof, North Intermediate School		2,769.06	
Repairs, North Intermediate School		11,145.96	
Purchase Land, Prepare Plans New Inter. School		1,810.00	
Install. & Fencing (4) four Tennis Courts at			
North Intermediate School	905.49		
Boutwell Street School	<u>657.51</u>	1,563.00	
Construct 60 ft. Addition, Highway Garage		12,499.60	
Purchase Land for Beach & Recreation		<u>6,500.00</u>	157,389.06
Non Revenue Accounts:			
Purchase Land, School Sites		22,350.00	
Construction, Woburn Street School		4,923.84	
Woburn Street School Addition		50,215.75	
Hopkins Street & Shawsheen Ave. School		1,485,475.80	
Boutwell Street School		13.82	
West Intermediate School		10,147.22	
Wilmington Memorial Library		171,139.16	
Water Betterments, Ainsworth Road		1,192.02	
Sudbury Avenue		1,103.31	
Lawrence Street		877.00	
Chestnut Street Well Field		11,564.11	
Main Street Well Field		6,814.06	
Butters Row Well Field		3,230.00	
Develop Three Well Fields		65,795.88	
Street Betterments, Ferguson Road		8,166.44	
Jere Road		982.43	
Elwood Road		<u>5,369.87</u>	1,849,360.71
Loans Authorized and Unissued			174,860.00
Overestimates 1968			
County Tax Assessment			3,613.90
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:			
Levy of 1965		11,648.84	
Levy of 1966		<u>57,337.06</u>	68,985.90
Sale of Cemetery Lots			6,060.00
Revenue Reserved until Collected:			
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise		48,407.88	
Special Assessments Revenue		4,162.71	
Tax Title Revenue		132,616.78	
Departmental Revenue		5,377.97	
Water Revenue		19,650.11	
Sewer Revenue		1,075.50	
Farm Animal Excise		<u>16.01</u>	211,306.96
Reserve for Petty Cash Advances			355.00
Surplus Revenue:			
General			488,606.03
Water Available Surplus			<u>103,001.12</u>
<u>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; RESERVES</u>			<u>\$3,341,533.63</u>

# ANALYSIS OF FEDERAL GRANTS

	Balances as at <u>1/1/68</u>	Receipts during <u>1968</u>	Expended during <u>1968</u>	Balances as at <u>12/31/68</u>
<u>Charities:</u>				
Old Age Assistance, Admin.	118.86	785.74	217.21	687.39
Old Age Assistance, Aid	2,038.24	16,803.21	(1) 12,983.60	5,857.85
Medical Assistance, Admin.	1,227.02	7,497.18	6,984.48	1,739.72
Medical Assistance, Aid	108.50	147,410.86	(2) 132,875.62	14,643.74
Aid to Dependent Children, Admin.	175.67	3,630.77	2,837.97	968.47
Aid to Dependent Children, Aid	4,748.19	38,343.23	(3) 40,620.56	2,470.86
Disability Assistance, Admin.	1,053.55	624.58	826.06	852.07
Disability Assistance, Aid	875.98	5,160.56	4,285.05	1,751.49
Urban Refugee Aid	<u>122.50</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>	<u>122.50</u>
	10,468.51	220,256.13	201,630.55	29,094.09
<u>Schools:</u>				
National Defense Educ. Act P/L 85-864	23,621.61	9,131.36	0.00	32,752.97
Federal Employment Act P/L 874	54,116.48	40,009.00	32,025.00	62,100.48
George Barden Fund P/L 88-10	505.27	2,200.00	2,490.00	215.27
Saturday Reading Program P/L 89-10	14,243.71		14,243.71	0.00
Reading Program Low Income Families	0.00	15,587.00	10,917.00	4,670.00
Head Start Program #1006	<u>411.41</u>	<u>10,676.00</u>	<u>10,980.07</u>	<u>107.34</u>
	92,898.48	77,603.36	70,655.78	99,846.06
GRAND TOTALS	<u>103,366.99</u>	<u>297,859.49</u>	<u>272,286.33</u>	<u>128,940.15</u>

- . Includes Transfer from Recovery Accts. and Refunds \$ 842.16
- . Includes Transfer from Recovery Accts. and Refunds \$4,474.22
- . Includes Transfer from Recovery Accts. and Refunds \$ 882.62



Wildwood Cemetery - In Honor of our Veterans

# ANALYSIS OF THE MATURING DEBT

	<u>Balances</u> <u>1/1/68</u>	<u>Added</u> <u>1968</u>	<u>Paid-Off</u> <u>1968</u>	<u>Balances</u> <u>12/31/68</u>
<u>INSIDE DEBT LIMIT:</u>				
High School Loan Act 321/47				
\$265,000.00	30,000.00		10,000.00	20,000.00
Elementary School Loan Wildwood School				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$512,000.00	150,000.00		25,000.00	125,000.00
Public Sewer Mains, G/L 44, Sec. 10				
\$106,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00	0.00
Street Construction Bonds (1958),				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$60,000.00	6,000.00		6,000.00	0.00
Street Construction Bonds (363)				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$25,000.00	5,000.00		5,000.00	0.00
Street Construction Bonds (364)				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$23,500.00	4,000.00		4,000.00	0.00
Street Construction Bonds (1967)				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$17,600.00	17,600.00		6,000.00	11,600.00
Street Construction Bonds (1969)				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$40,300.00		40,300.00		40,300.00
Public Works Bldg. & Police Station				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$140,000.00	28,000.00		14,000.00	14,000.00
Wilmington Memorial Library				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$485,000.00		485,000.00		485,000.00
School Site Notes 1966				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$21,675.00	14,000.00		7,000.00	7,000.00
	<u>255,600.00</u>	<u>525,300.00</u>	<u>78,000.00</u>	<u>702,900.00</u>
<u>OUTSIDE DEBT LIMIT:</u>				
High School Loan, Acts 321/47				
\$200,000.00	30,000.00		10,000.00	20,000.00
Add. & Alter. Jr./Sr. High School				
Acts 645/48, \$1,375,000.00	515,000.00		70,000.00	445,000.00
Add. & Alter. Jr/Sr. High School				
Acts 645/48, \$400,000.00	220,000.00		20,000.00	200,000.00
Glen Road School, Acts 645/48				
\$450,000.00	225,000.00		25,000.00	200,000.00
Boutwell Street School, Acts 645/48,				
\$400,000.00	240,000.00		20,000.00	220,000.00
North Intermediate School Acts,				
645/48, \$1,050,000.00	715,000.00		55,000.00	660,000.00
Various School Projects Loan				
Acts 645/48, \$68,425.00	43,000.00		5,000.00	38,000.00
Woburn Street School Bonds				
Acts 645/48, \$597,000.00	472,000.00		30,000.00	442,000.00
West Intermediate School				
Acts 645/48, \$1,445,000.00	1,295,000.00		75,000.00	1,220,000.00
Woburn Street School Addition				
Acts 645/48, \$660,000.00	660,000.00		35,000.00	625,000.00
Woburn St. School Addition (1968)				
Acts 645/48, \$25,000.00		25,000.00		25,000.00
Shawsheen Ave. School				
Acts 645/48, \$1,674,720.00		1,674,720.00		1,674,720.00
Water Meters Improve. Exist. System &				
Better. Chp. 44 Sec. 8, \$145,000.00	28,000.00		7,000.00	21,000.00
Water Standpipe Bonds G/L 44,				
Sec. 8, \$152,000.00	60,000.00		10,000.00	50,000.00
Water Main Bonds, (1958)				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$50,000.00	14,000.00		4,000.00	10,000.00
Water Bonds, New Well Field				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$90,000.00	30,000.00		10,000.00	20,000.00
Water Main Bonds (1962)				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$86,000.00	50,000.00		5,000.00	45,000.00
Water Main Bonds (1963)				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$25,000.00	5,000.00		5,000.00	0.00
Water Main Bonds, New Well Field				
(364) Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$4,500.00	900.00		900.00	0.00
Water Bonds, New Well Field (365)				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$463,529.00	390,000.00		30,000.00	360,000.00
	<u>4,992,900.00</u>	<u>1,699,720.00</u>	<u>416,900.00</u>	<u>6,275,720.00</u>
 COMBINED TOTALS	 <u>5,248,500.00</u>	 <u>2,225,020.00</u>	 <u>494,900.00</u>	 <u>6,978,620.00</u>

COMPARISON OF ESTIMATED RECEIPTS  
USED BY THE ASSESSORS IN SETTING THE 1968 TAX RATE  
WITH THE ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF THE YEAR 1968

	Used by the Assessors on the 1968 Rate	Actual 1968 Receipts	Receipts more than Estimated	Receipts less than Estimated
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	387,813.00	372,028.58		15,784.42
Licenses	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Fines	942.00	9,252.70	8,310.70	
Special Assessments	13,941.00	13,447.24	306.24	
General Government	6,187.00	6,536.11	349.11	
Protection of Persons & Property	7,556.00	15,182.00	7,626.00	
Health and Sanitation	1,994.00	6,231.53	4,237.53	
Highways	0.00	22.44	22.44	
Library (Local Receipts)	1,322.00	1,453.60	131.60	
Cemeteries (Other Than Trust				
Funds and Sale of Lots)	4,692.00	6,735.00	2,043.00	
Interests & Costs	32,717.00	56,977.71	24,260.71	
Farm Animal Excise	291.00	254.99		36.01
Ambulance Collections	1,365.00	1,702.00	337.00	
Power Revenue	19,410.47	16,109.50		3,300.97
State Estimated Receipts				
(Cherry Sheet Items)	1,075,319.38	1,183,955.34	108,635.96	
Miscellaneous Receipts	5,945.00	6,087.51	142.51	
Mult Evening Tuition	0.00	2,928.60	2,928.60	
TOTALS	1,562,694.85	1,702,904.85	159,331.40	19,121.40

Cherry Sheet Items	State Estimate	Actual Receipts
Veterans' Benefits	29,000.00	15,968.55
Charities	135,807.00	189,792.50
School Transportation Chp. 71	36,000.00	54,995.53
Special Education Program	40,000.00	41,511.00
School Aid Chp. 70	426,007.48	447,382.90
Cigarette Excise - School Trans. Chp. 71	1,000.00	0.00
Education & Transportation of Children Chp. 76	15,125.00	31,180.67
School Lunch Program	22,095.79	22,386.11
Construction School Projects Reimb.	171,519.00	209,525.48
Education Deaf & Blind Pupils Chp. 69	2,000.00	0.00
Free Public Libraries	3,118.75	3,118.75
Loss of Taxes	817.21	817.21
Real Taxes	3,099.49	3,305.84
Care of Premature Infants	254.00	0.00
Evaluation Basis Distribution	188,772.53	188,772.53
Outside Schools Transportation Chp. 74	703.13	703.13
TOTALS	1,075,319.38	1,209,460.20

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES DURING 1968 FROM APPROPRIATIONS

SELECTMEN

Salaries	1,150.00
Printing Adv. & Binding	895.83
Legal Fees	0.00
Misc. Services	482.22
Town Meeting Expenses	440.40
Supplies Office	300.70
	<u>3,269.15</u>

ELECTIONS

Salaries	3,903.47
Printing Adv. & Binding	224.00
Misc. Services	181.56
Supplies Office	62.45
	<u>4,371.48</u>

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Salaries	3,040.92
Printing Adv. & Binding	471.40
Misc. Services	1,039.82
Supplies Office	15.91
	<u>4,568.05</u>

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Salaries	146.25
Printing Adv. & Binding	1,554.00
Misc. Services	189.26
Supplies Office	0.00
	<u>1,889.51</u>

TOWN MANAGER

Salaries	17,391.40
Printing Adv. & Binding	103.98
Misc. Services	367.85
Transportation	100.00
Supplies Office	100.51
	<u>18,063.74</u>

INDUSTRIAL ACCOUNT

Misc. Services	178.90
Printing Adv. & Binding	361.03
Supplies Office	0.00
	<u>539.93</u>

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Salaries	15,799.73
Misc. Services	31.00
Supplies Office	453.33
	<u>16,284.06</u>

TOWN TREASURER

Salaries	13,254.89
Repairs and Maintenance	54.00
Misc. Services	120.00
Supplies Office	2,790.14
Tax Title Foreclosures	5,126.98
	<u>21,346.01</u>

TOWN COLLECTOR

Salaries	12,360.74
Printing Adv. & Binding	620.50
Misc. Services	9.00
Supplies Office	505.88
	<u>13,496.12</u>

TOWN CLERK

Salaries	12,546.66
Printing Adv. & Binding	28.94
Misc. Services	25.50
Supplies Office	265.76
	<u>12,866.86</u>

ASSESSORS

Salaries	21,352.16
Printing Adv. & Binding	116.00
Misc. Services	1,452.00
Office Supplies	1,151.00
Transportation	100.00
	<u>24,172.16</u>

TOWN COUNSEL

Personal Services	5,000.00
Contractual Services	3,140.00
	<u>8,140.00</u>

TOWN HALL

Salaries	4,356.00
Repairs and Maintenance	3,043.00
Postage	2,681.00
Supplies Office	1,512.00
Outlay	9,280.00
Accounting Machine	2,443.00
	<u>23,317.00</u>

PLANNING BOARD

Salaries	1,047.00
Misc. Services	1,154.00
Supplies Office	156.00
Outlay	473.00
Planning Consultant	6,106.00
Professional Services	355.00
	<u>9,294.00</u>

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Salary Chief	12,041.00
Salary Lieutenant	10,178.00
Salaries Sergeants	34,083.00
Salaries Patrolmen	151,708.00
Salary Clerk	4,801.00
Salaries Traffic Supervisors	13,760.00
Salaries Vacation	5,261.00
Salaries Sick Leave	4,316.00
Salaries Extra Detail	5,487.00
Salaries Paid Holidays	7,949.00
Salaries Police Dog Officers	800.00
Repairs and Maintenance	4,215.00
Misc. Contractual Services	200.00
Transportation	100.00
Maintenance of Dogs	813.00
Clothing and Rubber Goods	3,587.00
Gasoline and Oil	4,812.00
Supplies Office	1,191.00
Small Tools and Equipment	278.00
Outlay	1,427.00
Cruisers	3,616.00
	<u>270,629.20</u>

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Salary Chief	11,470.90
Salaries Lieutenants	28,470.40
Salaries Privates	130,569.60
Salaries Call Fire and Amb.	13,178.80
Salaries Vacations	9,695.70
Salaries Sick Leave	5,296.30
Salaries Paid Holidays	6,384.30
Repairs and Maintenance	4,163.70
Repairs Radios	320.30
Misc. Contractual Services	1,039.60
Clothing and Rubber Goods	387.60

<u>RE DEPARTMENT (continued)</u>	
Gasoline and Oil	1,600.29
Supplies Office	85.23
Small Tools and Equipment	1,109.44
Fire Alarm Ext.	3,417.49
Fire Sub Station Fund	0.00
Mutual Aid Base Radio	950.00
	<u>218,140.15</u>
<u>CIVIL DEFENSE</u>	
Salary	1,000.00
Misc. Services	53.39
Utilities	146.05
Transportation	19.54
Supplies Office	61.84
Small Tools and Equipment	298.86
Outlay	0.00
	<u>1,579.68</u>
<u>CHIEF OFFICER</u>	
Salaries	1,588.16
Misc. Services	759.01
Transportation	50.00
	<u>2,397.17</u>
<u>BUILDING INSPECTOR</u>	
Salaries	12,242.57
Printing Adv. & Binding	137.00
Misc. Services	92.25
Transportation	100.00
Supplies Office	422.26
Outlay	133.00
	<u>13,127.08</u>
<u>BOARD OF APPEALS</u>	
Salaries	245.00
Printing Adv. & Binding	0.00
Misc. Services	24.50
Supplies Office	25.00
	<u>294.50</u>
<u>COMMISSIONER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES</u>	
Salaries	500.00
Small Tools and Equipment	0.00
	<u>500.00</u>
<u>CIVIL ENGINEER</u>	
Salary Engineer	10,608.91
Salaries Other	10,447.25
Engineering Services	230.00
Misc. Repairs	0.00
Misc. Contractual Services	30.00
Supplies Office	915.41
Small Tools and Equipment	352.42
Outlay	1,534.02
	<u>24,118.01</u>
<u>HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT</u>	
Salary Superintendent	10,060.20
Salaries Other	78,843.68
Misc. Contractual Services	3,447.50
Chemicals	3,561.28
Clothing and Rubber Goods	351.50
Supplies Construction	7,559.72
Supplies Office	393.02
Small Tools and Equipment	11,403.17
Drainage	24,538.90
Sidewalks	11,774.42
	<u>151,933.39</u>

<u>ROAD MACHINERY</u>	
Repairs and Maintenance	11,224.95
Gasoline and Oil	8,966.95
Outlay Radios	2,550.00
Outlay Trucks (3)	19,837.00
	<u>42,578.90</u>
<u>CHAPTER 90 CONSTRUCTION 1965</u>	
Expenses	4,428.05
<u>CHAPTER 90 CONSTRUCTION 1966</u>	
Expenses	19,021.64
<u>CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE</u>	
Expenses	4,865.02
<u>CHAPTER 81</u>	
Salaries	4,000.00
Expenses	29,595.68
	<u>33,595.68</u>
<u>SNOW AND ICE CONTROL</u>	
Salaries	25,990.40
Repairs and Maintenance	6,279.09
Misc. Contractual Services	22,712.32
Gasoline and Oil	2,660.93
Salt and Sand	18,320.36
Small Tools and Equipment	0.00
	<u>75,963.10</u>
<u>TREE DEPARTMENT</u>	
Salaries	8,923.55
Repairs and Maintenance	666.40
Misc. Contractual Services	402.00
Transportation	100.00
Chemicals	2,957.40
Gasoline and Oil	200.00
Small Tools and Equipment	274.91
Trees	995.00
Outlay Chain Saw	295.30
Outlay Stump Cutter	2,195.00
	<u>17,009.56</u>
<u>DUTCH ELM CONTROL</u>	
Salaries	11,416.00
Repairs and Maintenance	65.45
Chemicals	815.50
Small Tools and Equipment	319.65
	<u>12,616.60</u>
<u>GYPSY MOTH CONTROL</u>	
Salaries	9,480.79
Repairs and Maintenance	336.58
Chemicals	1,287.41
Small Tools and Equipment	167.53
Gasoline and Oil	200.00
	<u>11,472.31</u>
<u>PUBLIC STREET LIGHTS</u>	
	29,493.80
<u>CEMETERY DEPARTMENT</u>	
Salaries	37,463.22
Repairs and Maintenance	2,653.02
Misc. Contractual Services	807.40
Transportation	100.00
Liners	735.00
Gasoline and Oil	440.15

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT (continued)

Supplies, Construction	3,199.89
Supplies, Care of Grounds	2,623.89
Supplies, Office	169.65
Small Tools and Equipment	268.17
Outlay, Equipment	2,133.47
	<u>50,593.86</u>

WATER DEPARTMENT

Salaries	101,322.09
Repairs and Maintenance	6,198.15
Misc. Contractual Services	5,854.82
Public Utilities	18,343.03
Transportation	763.15
Gasoline and Oil	5,499.11
Meters and Meter Parts	12,998.90
Pipes and Fittings	11,015.10
Supplies, Construction	1,414.43
Supplies, Office	5,253.68
Supplies, Plant	4,036.90
Outlay, Equipment	3,661.00
	<u>176,360.36</u>

BOARD OF HEALTH

Salaries	29,384.95
Printing, Adv. & Binding	66.50
Clinic Expenses	910.34
Misc. Contractual Services	466.28
Transportation	200.00
Supplies, Office	569.77
Outlay, Office Equipment	133.00
Hospitalization and Medical	3,529.17
Garbage Collection	16,529.96
Town Dump	24,000.00
	<u>75,789.97</u>

WELFARE ADMINISTRATION

Salaries	11,105.58
Repairs and Maintenance	44.96
Misc. Services	2,674.85
Public Utilities	491.61
Transportation	408.80
Supplies, Office	302.76
	<u>15,028.56</u>

WELFARE AID

Aid	222,305.07
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VETERANS SERVICES

Salaries	5,727.94
Misc. Contractual Services	20.00
Transportation	46.00
Supplies, Office	50.48
	<u>5,844.42</u>

VETERANS AID

Aid	68,694.57
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SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Salaries from 1967	37,538.27
Salaries, Sec. & Cler. (Cler. Sch. Comm)	799.92
Salaries, Prof. (Central Office)	40,999.92
Salaries, Sec. & Cler. (Central Off.)	13,625.60
Contracted Services	19,852.29
Supplies School Committee	171.25
Other Expenses (Assoc. Public)	1,645.71
Contracted Services	1,851.08
Supplies & Mat. (Central Office)	2,086.31

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Other Expenses (In Town Travel	624.3
Salaries, Professional (Sub. Spec.)	139,013.3
Salaries, Prof. (Elem. Prin.)	47,013.6
Salaries, Prof. (Jr. High Prin.)	23,603.9
Salaries, Prof. (Sr. High Prin.)	22,729.9
Salaries, Sec. & Cler. (Elem.)	15,369.9
Salaries, Sec. & Cler. (Jr. High)	6,791.4
Salaries, Sec. & Cler. (Sr. High)	11,182.0
Salaries, Prof. Substitutes	32,732.5
Salaries, Prof. (Elem. Teachers)	557,551.2
Salaries, Prof. (Jr. High Teachers)	329,620.0
Salaries, Prof. (Sr. High Teachers)	449,276.8
Salaries, Prof. (Elem. Guidance)	9,350.7
Salaries, Prof. (Jr. High Guidance)	19,382.9
Salaries, Prof. (Sr. High Guidance)	53,246.8
Supplies & Materials (Music & Art)	3,165.3
Travel & Professional Lit.	2,540.4
Out of State Travel	1,409.0
Contracted Services (Rinehart)	3,600.0
Contracted Services (Test Scoring)	1,850.0
Supplies & Mat. (Elem. Stat. & Supp.)	14,346.1
Supplies & Mat. (Jr. High Stat. & Supp)	11,285.1
Supplies & Mat. (Sr. High Stat. & Supp)	21,758.0
Supplies & Mat. (Elem. Texts & Aids)	19,930.1
Supplies & Mat. (Jr. High Texts & Aids)	12,622.2
Supplies & Mat. (Sr. High Stat & Supp.)	16,130.3
Supplies & Mat. (Elem. Library Texts)	6,033.1
Supplies & Mat. (Jr. High Library Text)	3,217.1
Supplies & Mat. (Sr. High Library Text)	3,020.1
Salaries, Prof. (Sp. Class Teachers)	58,495.1
Supplies & Mat. (Sp. Class Supplies)	652.1
Contracted Services (Spec. Educ. Tuition)	2,032.1
Supplies & Mat. (Sp. Class Text & Aids)	576.1
Contracted Services	227.1
Salaries, Prof. (Supervision)	1,359.1
Salaries, Prof. (Supervision)	697.1
Salaries, Prof. (Instruction)	5,379.1
Salaries, Prof. (Instruction)	15,070.1
N.D.E.A.	12,354.1
Salaries, Non-Prof. (Attend. & Census)	3,160.1
Salaries, Prof. (School Nurse & Phys.)	18,271.1
Salaries, Prof. (Cafeteria Supervisor	4,226.1
Supplies & Mat. (Nurses)	172.1
Pupil Trans. - Contracted Services	90,050.1
Supplies & Mat. (Cafeteria Subsidy)	3,382.1
Contracted Serv. (Athletic Trans.)	1,749.1
Supplies & Mat. (Phy. Educ.)	11,077.4
Contracted Serv. (Trans.-Educ. Trips)	3,371.1
Contracted Services	11,392.1
Contracted Ser. (Adj. Counselor, School.	1,630.1
and Contracted Assistance)	18,371.1
Other Expenses (Elem. Utilities)	11,897.8
Other Expenses (Jr. High Utilities)	11,408.1
Other Expenses (Sr. High Utilities)	63.7
Contracted Services (Adm. Maint. & Rep)	658.1
Contracted Services (Elem. Maint. & Rep)	954.5
Con. Ser. (Jr. High Maint. & Repairs)	2,461.1
Con. Ser. (Sr. High Maint. & Repairs)	24,993.9
Supplies & Mat. (Capital Outlay)	<u>2,273,105.8</u>

VOCATIONAL TRAINING

Tuition	6,955.1
Transportation	1,407.9
	<u>8,363.0</u>

SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Salaries	238,694.80
Repairs & Maintenance	18,307.72
Misc. Contractual Services	12,771.32
Gasoline and Oil	800.00
Supplies, Plant	17,442.95
Pur. Hot Water Heat. Boutwell Sch.	42.90
Fuel Heating	38,251.78
Outlay	20,182.29
Purchase 3/4 ton Pick Up Truck	2,025.43
	<u>348,519.19</u>

SCHOOL GROUNDS MAINTENANCE

Repairs and Maintenance	895.24
Supplies, Care of Grounds	4,474.57
Small Tools & Equipment	525.79
Outlay	4,107.90
	<u>10,003.50</u>

MAINTENANCE TOWN BUILDINGS

Repairs and Maintenance	2,172.28
Public Utilities	12,764.86
Outlay	1,277.70
Cemetery Garage, Elec., Heat & Water	1,577.00
	<u>17,791.84</u>

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Salaries, Full Time	21,487.09
Dues and Subscriptions	69.39
Temporary Quarters	889.60
Supplies, Library	21,126.31
Supplies, Office	3,103.04
	<u>46,675.43</u>

RECREATION

Salary	14,290.36
Misc. Services	853.02
Playground and Beach Supplies	384.08
Lights for Town Park	10,920.05
	<u>26,447.51</u>

UNCLASSIFIED

Reserve Fund	50,000.00
Perm. Building Committee	1,293.75
Permanent Building Committee Exp.	56.44
Perm. Building Committee Eng. Serv.	9,128.50
Perm. Bldg. Comm. Office Supplies	60.80
Bonds and Insurance	46,606.31
Town Report	1,698.05
Local Transportation	7,947.63
Train. & Conf. In State	2,798.32
Train. & Conf. Out of State	640.20
Lease of Quarters	2,250.00
Blue Cross & Insurance	42,150.01
Conservation Commission	1,323.06
Memorial Day Comm. & Vet. Day	1,424.94
Unpaid Bills	2,731.58
Flag Pole	1,400.00
Reg. Voc. Sch. Dist. Comm.	19,301.82
Neg. 1968 Salary Increase	44,632.76
Salaries for 53rd Week	16,813.55
Land for Recreation & Parks	9,200.00
Job Descrip. & Evaluation	3,590.00
Veterans Retirement	4,006.95
	<u>269,054.67</u>

MATURING DEBT & INTEREST

Schools	526,242.00
General Government	48,605.65
Water	88,752.40
Int. Antic. Notes & Authen. Fees	22,784.07
	<u>686,384.12</u>

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNTS

Pur. Land School Sites	22,350.00
Woburn Street School	5,708.84
Woburn Street Addition	315,603.05
Shawsheen Ave. School	1,674,720.00
Boutwell School	13.82
West Inter. School	15,932.33
Plans Elem. School	4,000.00
Pur. Land Eminent Domain	100.00
Pur. Land & Building Library	14,900.00
Const. & Equip. Library	6,000.00
Board of Library Trustees	1,394.77
Wilm. Memorial Library	599,409.13
Pur. Land Whitefield Terr.	1,750.00
Nichols St. Land Damage	1,775.00
Const. Nichols St. Bridge	2,000.00
Ainsworth Road	1,192.02
Sudbury Avenue	2,960.00
Lawrence Street	877.00
Martens Street	1,155.91
Chestnut Street Well Field	13,441.51
Main Street Well Field	8,416.14
Aldrich Road Well Site	50.00
Butters Row Well Site	3,230.00
Develop Three Well Sites	69,202.27
Ferguson Road	14,337.16
Jere Road	28,140.00
Elwood Road	14,330.00
Town Beach Improvement	2,020.37
Repair Roof No. Inter.	16,952.31
Repair Inter. No. Inter.	20,000.00
Sidewalks	8,143.28
Pur. Land New Inter.	1,810.00
No. Inter. Tennis Courts	5,051.49
Boutwell Tennis Courts	8,840.34
Addition Highway Garage	22,000.00
Pur. Land Baby Beach	6,500.00
	<u>2,914,306.74</u>

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
SUMMARY OF ACTUAL EXPENDITURES BY BUDGET CLASS  
Year Ending 12/31/68

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1968	Balances as of 12/31/68	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1968	Bal. Avail. for Expend. 1969
<b>General Government:</b>								
Selectmen								
Salaries	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,150.00	350.00		350.00	
Expenses	3,500.00		3,500.00	2,119.15	1,380.85		1,380.85	
Elections								
Salaries	4,900.00		4,900.00	3,903.47	996.53		996.53	
Expenses	550.00		550.00	468.01	81.99		81.99	
Registrar of Voters								
Salaries	3,200.00		3,200.00	3,040.92	159.08		159.08	
Expenses	1,700.00		1,700.00	1,527.13	172.87		172.87	
Finance Committee								
Expenses	1,000.00	B 1,000.00	2,000.00	1,889.51	110.49		110.49	
Town Manager								
Salaries	20,185.00	B 1,741.33	21,926.33	17,391.40	4,534.93		4,534.93	
Expenses	600.00	B 100.00	700.00	672.34	27.66		27.66	
Industrial Promotion	800.00		800.00	539.93	260.07		260.07	
Town Accountant								
Salaries	14,780.00	B 1,020.00	15,800.00	15,799.73	.27		.27	
Expenses	500.00		500.00	484.33	15.67		15.67	
Town Treasurer								
Salaries	12,275.00	B 1,009.00	11,811.90	11,782.79	29.11		29.11	
Expenses	1,210.00	B- 1,472.10 A 532.18 B 1,289.00 E 221.30 A 4,810.06 E 85.10	3,252.48	2,964.14	288.34		288.34	
Tax Title Foreclosures	2,000.00		6,895.16	5,126.98	1,768.18		1,768.18	
Town Collector								
Salaries	12,620.00		12,620.00	12,360.74	259.26		259.26	
Expenses	1,175.00	E 5.20	1,180.20	1,135.38	44.82		44.82	
Town Clerk								
Salaries	11,665.00	B 959.00	12,624.00	12,546.66	77.34		77.34	
Expenses	330.00		330.00	320.20	9.80		9.80	
Board of Assessors								
Salaries	19,730.00	B 1,659.00	21,389.00	21,352.45	36.55		36.55	
Expenses	2,570.00	A 500.00 E 102.58	3,172.58	2,820.10	352.48		352.48	
Town Counsel								
Retainer	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00			1,859.06	
Expenses	5,000.00		5,000.00	3,140.94				
Town Hall								
Salaries	4,439.00	B 486.00	4,925.00	4,356.15	568.85		568.85	
Expenses	7,200.00	B 262.07 E 40.13 A 2,537.97	7,502.20	7,237.14	265.06		265.06	
Capital Outlay	11,099.00	A	13,636.97	11,724.34	1,912.63		1,912.63	
Planning Board								
Salaries	960.00	B 107.25	1,067.25	1,047.77	19.48		19.48	
Expenses	300.00		300.00	156.73	143.27		143.27	
Capital Outlay	550.00		550.00	473.40	76.60		76.60	
Misc. Contractual Services	700.00	B 500.00						
Planning Consultant	5,000.00	B- 109.92 A 7,015.00	1,090.08	1,045.04	45.04		.04	
Professional Services		A 700.00	12,015.00	6,106.69	5,908.31		8.31	
			700.00	355.00	345.00		270.00	
	157,038.00	25,100.15	182,138.15	160,038.56	22,099.59	7,788.18	14,311.41	0.00

**TITLE OF APPROPRIATION**  
**Protection of Persons & Property:**

**Police Department**

Salaries: Chief  
 Lieutenant  
 Sergeants  
 Patrolmen  
 Traffic Supervisors  
 Clerk  
 Misc. Detail  
 Police Oog Officers  
 Vacation  
 Sick Leave  
 Paid Holidays

**Expenses**

**Capital Outlay**

**Fire Department**

Salaries: Chief  
 Lieutenants  
 Privates

Call Fire & Ambulance  
 Vacations  
 Sick Leave

**Expenses**

**Sub Fire Station**

Civil Defense  
 Salaries

**Expenses**

Outlay  
 Oog Officer

**Expenses**

**Building Inspector**

Salaries  
 Expenses

**Capital Outlay**

Constable

**Board of Appeals**

Salaries  
 Expenses

**Sealer of Weights & Measures**

Salaries  
 Expenses

Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1968	Balances as of 12/31/68	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1968	Bal. Avail. for Expend. 1969
12,041.25		12,041.25	12,041.07	.18		.18	
10,179.00		10,179.00	10,178.65	.35		.35	
31,949.00	2,135.00	34,084.00	34,083.16	.84		.84	
143,662.00	10,063.00	153,725.00	151,708.08	2,016.92		2,016.92	
15,500.00	350.00	15,850.00	13,760.00	2,090.00		2,090.00	
4,350.00	452.00	4,802.00	4,801.22	.78		.78	
6,600.00		6,600.00	5,487.54	1,112.46		1,112.46	
800.00		800.00	800.00				
9,100.00		9,100.00	5,261.48	3,838.52		3,838.52	
3,000.00	1,500.00	4,500.00	4,316.93	183.07		183.07	
7,800.00	149.45	7,949.45	7,949.45				
12,830.00	2,332.97	15,200.56	15,198.55	2.01		2.01	
1,430.00	37.59	1,430.00	1,427.07	2.93		2.93	
11,471.00		11,471.00	11,470.99	.01		.01	
26,465.00	2,005.48	28,470.48	28,470.48				
121,113.00	9,456.69	128,823.68	128,823.68				
10,000.00	3,500.00	13,500.00	13,178.85	321.15		321.15	
9,824.00		9,824.00	9,695.70	128.30		128.30	
4,000.00	1,300.00	5,092.92	5,089.27	3.65		3.65	
6,500.00	207.08	6,500.00	6,384.34	115.66		115.66	
8,591.00	21.20	8,831.03	8,706.26	124.77		124.77	
17,500.00	218.83	17,500.00		17,500.00		17,500.00	
550.00	7.15						
500.00	7.15	1,000.00	1,000.00				
	450.00						
	450.38						
	7.15						
	157.87	1,115.40	579.68	535.72		535.72	
	1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00		1,000.00	
2,000.00		2,000.00	1,588.16	411.84		411.84	
760.00	50.00	810.00	809.01	.99		.99	
11,330.00	915.00	12,245.00	12,242.57	2.43		2.43	
695.00	100.00	795.00	751.51	43.49		43.49	
150.00		150.00	133.00	17.00		17.00	
100.00		100.00	100.00				
325.00	53.00	378.00	245.00	133.00		133.00	
100.00	10.75	110.75	49.50	61.25		61.25	
500.00		500.00	500.00				
100.00		100.00		100.00		100.00	
491,815.25	34,763.27	526,578.52	496,831.20	29,747.32		28,211.60	1,535.72

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION									
	Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1966	Balances as of 12/31/68	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1968	Bal. Avail. for Expend. 1969	
<b>Public Works</b>									
Town Engineer									
Salary	10,202.00	B 599.00	10,801.00	10,608.91	192.09		192.09		
Other Salaries	10,448.00		10,448.00	10,447.25	.75		.75		
Expenses	1,300.00	A 1,109.00	2,409.00	1,527.83	881.17		881.17		
Capital Outlay	1,550.00		1,550.00	1,534.02	15.98		15.98		
Highway Department									
Salary, Superintendent	10,875.00		10,875.00	10,060.20	814.80		814.80		
Salaries, Other	71,927.00	B 8,965.00	80,892.00	78,843.68	2,048.32		2,048.32		
Expenses	23,850.00	A 12,092.96							
		B 4,250.00							
		B- 2,750.00							
		E 484.00							
		B- 1,150.00							
Drainage	24,800.00		37,926.96	35,740.61	2,186.35	1,550.00	636.35		
Public Street Lights	35,000.00		23,650.00	23,388.90	261.10		261.10		
Road Machinery Expenses	17,000.00	B 4,666.23	35,000.00	29,493.80	5,506.20		5,506.20		
		B- 12.60							
		E 68.96							
Outlay	2,700.00		21,722.59	20,179.30	1,543.29		1,543.29		
Chapter 90 Construction	9,000.00		2,700.00	2,550.00	150.00		150.00		
Chapter 90 Maintenance	2,000.00	C 3,000.00	9,000.00		9,000.00		9,000.00		9,000.00
Chapter 81 Maintenance			5,000.00	4,865.02	134.98		134.98		
Salaries	4,000.00		4,000.00	4,000.00					
Expenses	9,000.00	C 20,625.00	29,625.00	29,595.68	29.32		29.32		
Chapter 90 Construction 1965		A 4,428.05	4,428.05	4,428.05					
Chapter 90 Construction 1966		C 25,200.00							
		B- 800.00							
		A 8,400.00							
		C 25,200.00							
		A 9,000.00							
			32,800.00	18,221.64	14,578.36		14,578.36		14,578.36
			34,200.00		34,200.00		34,200.00		34,200.00
Snow & Ice Control									
Salaries	26,000.00	B 1,943.35	26,000.00	25,990.40	9.60		9.60		
Expenses	48,000.00	E 54.43	49,997.78	49,972.70	25.08		25.08		
Tree Warden									
Salaries	8,550.00	B 539.99	9,089.99	8,923.55	166.44		166.44		
Expenses	5,650.00	B 100.00	5,550.00	5,395.71	154.29		154.29		
		B- 200.00	300.00	295.30	4.70		4.70		
Capital Outlay	300.00								
Dutch Elm Control									
Salaries	10,876.00	B 540.00	11,416.00	11,416.00					
Expenses	1,860.00		1,860.00	1,200.60	659.40		659.40		
Gypsy Moth Control									
Salaries	8,550.00	B 930.79	9,480.79	9,480.79	188.48		188.48		
Expenses	2,180.00	B- 200.00	1,980.00	1,791.52					
Cemetery Department									
Salaries	35,060.00	B 2,408.00	37,468.00	37,463.22	4.78		4.78		
Expenses	7,900.00	B 3,100.00	10,600.00	10,597.17	2.83		2.83		
		B- 400.00	2,150.00	2,133.47	16.53		16.53		
Capital Outlay	2,150.00								
	390,728.00	132,192.16	522,920.16	450,145.32	72,774.84	1,550.00	13,446.48	57,778.36	

# TITLE OF APPROPRIATION

Health and Sanitation	Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1968	Balances as of 12/31/68	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1968	Bal. Avail. for Expend. 1969
Salaries	28,931.00	B 1,534.00	30,465.00	29,384.95	1,080.05		1,080.05	
Expenses	1,835.00	A 131.17 B 200.00 E 50.00						
Capital Outlay	150.00		2,216.17	2,212.89	3.28		3.28	
Hospital & Medical Care	5,000.00		150.00	133.00	17.00		17.00	
Garbage Collection	16,700.00		5,000.00	3,529.17	1,470.83		1,470.83	
Town Dump	24,000.00		16,700.00	16,529.96	170.04		170.04	
	76,616.00	1,915.17	78,531.17	75,789.97	2,741.20		2,741.20	
Charities & Veterans Benefits								
Board of Public Welfare								
Salaries	19,186.00	B- 634.85	19,186.00	11,105.58	8,080.42		8,080.42	
Expenses	4,300.00	E 1.25 D-100,000.00	3,666.40	3,288.13	378.27		378.27	
Welfare Aids	327,000.00	E 155.75	227,155.75	222,305.07	4,850.68		4,850.68	
Veterans Aid								
Salaries	5,527.00	B 697.00	6,224.00	5,727.94	496.06		496.06	
Expenses	170.00	E 46.00	-216.00	116.48	99.52		99.52	
Assistance	50,000.00	B 18,000.00						
	406,183.00	E 697.61 - 81,037.24	68,697.61	68,694.57	3.04		3.04	
			325,145.76	311,237.77	13,907.99		13,907.99	
School Department								
Salaries	1,878,465.00	A 37,538.27	1,916,486.65	1,916,486.65				
Expenses	356,455.00	B- 37.92 E 167.52	356,584.60	356,581.23	3.37		3.37	
Vocational Training	10,000.00		10,000.00	8,363.06	1,636.94		1,636.94	
Regional Vocational School	19,360.00		19,360.00	19,301.82	58.18		58.18	
	2,264,280.00	38,151.25	2,302,431.25	2,300,732.76	1,698.49		1,698.49	
School Maintenance & Operation								
Salaries	224,281.00	B 15,840.62	240,121.62	238,694.80	1,426.82		1,426.82	
Repairs to No. Inter. School	20,000.00		20,000.00	8,854.04	11,145.96		11,145.96	
Expenses	48,000.00	B 1,050.00 B- 800.00 E 306.88						
Fuel Heating	38,000.00	A 1,400.00	48,556.88	48,521.99	34.89		34.89	
Capital Outlay	23,653.00	A 80.45	39,400.00	38,251.78	1,148.22		1,148.22	
School Grounds Maintenance			23,733.45	20,182.29	3,551.16	3,543.60	7.56	
Expenses	5,900.00		5,900.00	5,895.60	4.40		4.40	
Capital Outlay	3,600.00	A 528.00	4,128.00	4,107.90	20.10		20.10	
Town Buildings Maintenance	15,500.00	E 20.95	15,520.95	14,937.14	583.81		165.12	
Expenses	10,965.00		10,965.00	1,277.70	9,687.30		187.30	
Capital Outlay	389,899.00	18,426.90	408,325.90	380,723.24	27,602.66	13,462.29	2,994.41	11,145.96

## Library & Recreation

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TITLE OF APPROPRIATION									
Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1968	Balances as of 12/31/68	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1968	Bal. Avail. for Expend. 1969		
Unclassified - continued									
Purchased Land by Eminent Domain	A 100.00	100.00		100.00			100.00		
Purchased Land & Building - Library	A 14,900.00	14,900.00	14,900.00						
Construct and Equip Library	A 6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00						
Board of Library Trustees	A 1,394.77	1,394.77	112.50	1,282.27		1,282.27			
Purchased Land - Whitfield Terrace	A 1,750.00	1,750.00		1,750.00			1,750.00		
Nichols Street Land Damage	A 1,775.00	1,775.00		1,775.00			1,775.00		
Construct Nichols Street Bridge	A 2,000.00	2,000.00		2,000.00			2,000.00		
Town Beach Improvements	A 2,020.37	2,020.37	612.80	1,407.57			1,407.57		
Repair Roof North Intermediate School	A 16,952.31	16,952.31	14,183.25	2,769.06			2,769.06		
Sidewalks	A 8,143.28	8,143.28	8,143.28						
Purchased Land New Intermediate School	A 1,810.00	1,810.00		1,810.00			1,810.00		
North Intermediate Tennis Courts	A 5,051.49	5,051.49	4,144.08	907.41	905.49	1.92			
Boutwell School Tennis Courts	A 8,840.34	8,840.34	8,182.83	657.51	657.51				
Highway Garage Addition	A 22,000.00	22,000.00	9,500.40	12,499.60			12,499.60		
Cemetery Bldg. Electricity, Heat & Water	A 1,582.45	1,582.45	1,577.00	5.45		5.45			
Purchased Land Baby Beach	A 6,500.00	6,500.00		6,500.00			6,500.00		
Purchased Hot Water Heating System									
Boutwell School	A 2,094.72	2,094.72	42.90						
Revised Plans Shawheen Avenue School	A 4,000.00	4,000.00		2,051.82			2,051.82		
Purchased Land Hopkins Street	A 675.00	675.00		4,000.00			4,000.00		
Aldrich Road Well Site	A 50.00	50.00		675.00			675.00		
Job Description Survey	D 6,000.00	6,000.00	3,590.00	2,410.00			2,410.00		
	66,038.22	357,779.10	270,817.94	86,961.16	1,563.00	14,702.00	70,696.16		
Maturing Debt and Interest									
Schools									
General Government		526,242.00	526,242.00						
Water Department		49,997.00	48,605.65			1,391.35			
Interest on Anticipation Notes and Authentication Fees		88,752.40	88,752.40						
	E 25,000.00	25,263.97	22,784.07	2,479.90		2,479.90			
	689,991.40	690,255.37	686,384.12	3,871.25		3,871.25			
Total Appropriations	237,216.12	5,473,334.65	5,205,823.82	267,510.83	24,363.47	101,991.16	141,156.20		

Code: A Balance from 1967

B Transfers

C Temporary Loans

D Special Town Meeting

E Refunds

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# FIRE ALARM SIGNALS

<p>32 Boutwell School 33 Buzzell School 35 Center School 37 Glen Rd. School 38 High School 41 Mildred Rogers School 42 North Intermediate School 44 Swain School 46 Walker School 47 West Intermediate School 48 West School 51 Whitefield School 53 Wildwood School 54 Woburn Street School 121 Main &amp; Church Sts. 122 Main St. &amp; Middlesex Avenue 1222 Bay State Steel Co. 123 Main &amp; Clark Sts. 124 Washington Ave. 125 Wilmington Plaza 126 Main St. &amp; Bridge Lane 127 Brand Ave. &amp; Wiser St. 128 Baker St. &amp; Taplin Ave. 129 Phillips Ave. &amp; Wiser St. 131 Hobson Ave. &amp; Miles St. 132 Main St. &amp; Massachusetts Ave. 133 Massachusetts Ave. &amp; River St. 134 Main &amp; Harnden Sts. 135 St. Dorothy's Church 136 Veranda Ave. 137 Main St. &amp; Grove Ave. 138 Grove &amp; Wild Aves. 139 Grove Ave &amp; Burnap St. 141 Grove Ave. &amp; Lake St. 142 Main St. &amp; Glen Rd. 143 Main &amp; Lake Sts. 144 Lake St. &amp; Warren Rd. 146 Main &amp; Davis Sts. 147 Fairfield Ave. 148 Marjorie Rd. 149 Main St. at Tewksbury Line 211 Burlington &amp; Floradale Aves. 2111 Diamond Crystal Salt Company 2112 Sweetheart Plastic Corp. 212 Burlington Ave. &amp; Harris St. 213 Cedar St. &amp; Burt Rd. 214 Deming Way (Old Age Housing) 215 Burlington Ave. &amp; Chestnut St. 216 Chestnut St. &amp; Butters Row 217 Chestnut St. &amp; Mill Rd. 218 Chestnut St. &amp; Hillside Way 219 Hillside Way at Burlington Line 221 Chestnut St. near Golf Club 222 Chestnut St. at Woburn Line 223 Marion &amp; Day Sts. 224 Marion &amp; Clifton Sts. 225 Marion St. to Chestnut St. 226 Roberts Road 227 Burlington Ave. &amp; Boutwell St. 228 Boutwell St. &amp; Taft Rd. 229 Taft &amp; Swain Rds. 231 Roosevelt Rd. 232 Burlington Ave. &amp; Dell Drive 233 Burlington Ave. &amp; Swain Rd. 234 Beech St. 235 Burlington Ave. &amp; Forest St.</p>	<p>236 Burlington Ave. at Burlington Line 237 Forest St. &amp; Congress St. 238 Forest St. &amp; Randolph Rd. 239 Forest St. &amp; Cochran Rd. 241 Elwood Rd. 242 Forest St. &amp; Edwards Rd. 251 Shawshen Ave. &amp; Canal St. 252 Canal St. &amp; Burt Rd. 253 Grand St. 254 Nassau Ave. &amp; Dunton Rd. 255 Shawshen Ave. &amp; Carter Lane 256 Carter Lane Norfolk St. 257 Amherst Rd. 258 Auburn Ave. 259 Ferguson Rd. 261 Shawshen Ave. &amp; Aldrich Rd. 262 Aldrich Rd. &amp; Hardin St. 263 Aldrich Rd. &amp; Kendall St. 264 Aldrich Rd. &amp; Boutwell St. 265 Aldrich Rd. &amp; Forest St. 266 Winston Ave. 267 Aldrich Rd. at Billerica Line 268 Shawshen Ave. near Cranberry Bog 269 Wilton Drive 271 Shawshen Ave. &amp; Bond St. 273 Shawshen Ave. &amp; Hopkins St. 274 Hopkins &amp; Columbia Streets 275 Hopkins &amp; Dorchester Streets 276 Hopkins St. at Billerica Line 277 Shawshen Ave. &amp; Nichols St. 278 Nichols St. &amp; Fairmeadow Rd. 279 Fairmeadow &amp; Jere Rds. 281 Nichols St. at Billerica Line 282 Shawshen Ave. at Billerica Line 311 Main St. &amp; Dublin Ave. 312 Main &amp; Lowell Sts. 3121 Hayden Mica Co. 313 Main St. &amp; Butters Row 314 Main St. at Town Park 315 Main &amp; Eames Sts. 316 Eames St. 3132 Polyvinal Chemical 3161 J.W. Greer Co. 3162 National Polychemical Co., Inc. 3163 Dragon Cement Co. 3164 Raffi &amp; Swanson Inc. 317 Cook Ave. 318 Main St. at Woburn Line 321 Lowell &amp; Parker Sts. 322 Parker &amp; Blackstone Streets 323 Lowell &amp; Cross Sts. 324 Lowell &amp; Bay Sts. 3241 Avco Corp. 325 Lowell &amp; Woburn Sts. 326 Woburn &amp; Elm Sts. 327 Woburn St. &amp; Brentwood Ave.</p>	<p>328 Woburn St. &amp; Morse Ave. 329 Woburn &amp; Eames Sts. 3291 Terrell Corp. 3292 Webtex Cement 3293 NAPA 3294 Ritter Trucking 331 Woburn St. &amp; Industrial Way 3314 Market Forge 3315 Smithcraft 332 Strout Ave. 333 Lowell St. &amp; Woodland Rd. 334 Lowell &amp; West Sts. 335 West St. &amp; Westdale Avenue 336 Ayotte St. &amp; Crest Avenue 337 Nickerson Ave. 338 West St. &amp; Suncrest Ave. 339 Suncrest Ave. &amp; Meadow Lane 341 West St. &amp; Industrial Way 3412 Compugraphics 3415 Ling Electronics 342 Lowell St., Rte. 93 and Reading Line 411 Church St., Fire Station 412 Church &amp; Columbia Sts. 413 Church &amp; Beacon Sts. 414 Beacon St. &amp; Belmont Ave. 415 State St. &amp; Fairview Ave. 416 Church &amp; Clark Sts. 417 Methodist Church 418 Church St. &amp; Thurston Ave. 419 Church &amp; Adams Sts. 421 Chandler &amp; Kelley Rds. 422 Adams St. Ext. 423 Church St. &amp; Middlesex Ave. 4231 New Library 424 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Adelaide St. 425 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Clark St. 426 Clark St. &amp; Railroad Ave. 427 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Adams St. 428 St. Thomas' Church 429 Middlesex Ave. &amp; School St. 431 School St. &amp; Drury Lane 432 Drury Lane &amp; Loumac Rd. 433 Powderhouse Circle 434 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Wildwood St. 435 Wildwood St. near Cemetery 436 Wildwood St. near Vets Housing 437 Wildwood &amp; Woburn Streets 438 Wing Rd. 511 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Glen Rd. 512 Glendale Circle 513 Glen Rd. &amp; Lawrence St. 514 Lawrence St. &amp; Lawrence Ct. 515 Lawrence St. &amp; Hamlin Lane 516 Glen Rd. at R.R. Crossing 517 Glen Rd. &amp; Fay St. 518 Glen Rd. &amp; King St.</p>	<p>519 King St. &amp; Garden Ave. 521 King &amp; Kilby Sts. 522 King &amp; Broad Sts. 523 Glen Rd. &amp; Cypress St. 524 Glen Rd. &amp; Brattle St. 525 Glen Rd. &amp; Harnden St. 526 Glen &amp; Miller Rds. 527 Faulkner &amp; Beeching Aves. 528 Faulkner &amp; Allston Aves. 529 Jones Ave. 531 Town Hall 532 Congregational Church 533 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Federal St. 534 Federal &amp; Concord Streets 535 Federal &amp; Grant Sts. 536 Federal &amp; Wilson Sts. 537 Federal &amp; Lincoln Sts. 538 Federal &amp; Pershing Sts. 539 Federal &amp; Library Sts. 541 Federal &amp; Woburn Sts. 542 Woburn &amp; West Sts. 543 West &amp; Kilmarnock Sts. 545 Woburn St. at R.R. Crossing 546 Concord &amp; Woburn Sts. 5461 Eagle Can Co. 547 Concord St. at Rte. 93 5471 Compugraphics, Concord St. 5475 Volkswagen 548 Concord St. at North Reading Line 549 Woburn St. at 281 551 Middlesex &amp; Mystic Aves. 5511 Avco, North Wilmington 5512 Photon, Inc. 5513 D.F. Munroe Paper Co. 5514 Waltham Door &amp; Window Co. 552 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Shady Lane Drive 5521 Mytron Inc. 553 Shady Lane Drive &amp; Oakdale Rd. 554 Shady Lane Drive &amp; Birchwood Rd. 555 Shady Lane Drive &amp; Sprucewood Rd. 556 Pinewood &amp; Oakdale Roads 557 Birchwood &amp; Judith Rds. 558 Shady Lane Drive &amp; Lawrence St. 611 No. Wilmington Shopping Center 612 Middlesex Ave. &amp; North St. 613 North St. &amp; Pineridge Rd. 614 North St. &amp; Marcia Rd. 615 Middlesex Ave. &amp; High St. 616 Linda &amp; Carolyn Rds. 617 High &amp; Woburn Sts. 618 Woburn &amp; Park Sts. 619 Park St. &amp; Gowing Rd. 621 Gowing &amp; Marcus Rds. 622 Park St. at No. Reading Line 623 Middlesex Ave. &amp; Salem St. 624 Arlene &amp; Catherine Aves. 625 Barbara &amp; Dorothy Aves. 626 Salem St. at R.R. Crossing 627 Salem &amp; Cunningham Streets 628 Salem St. &amp; McDonald Rd.</p>	<p>629 McDonald Rd. to End 631 Royal St. 632 Salem St. at Tewksbury Line 633 Salem &amp; Ballardvale Streets 634 Ballardvale St. at Rte. 125 635 Ballardvale St. st No. 211 6351 Charles River Breeding Laboratories 636 Ballardvale St. at No. 326 637 Ballardvale St. at Andover Line 638 Salem St. at Rte. 93 639 Salem &amp; Woburn Sts. 641 Woburn St. &amp; Hathaway Rd. 642 Hawthorne Rd. 643 Hathaway &amp; Sheridan Rds. 644 Hathaway &amp; Gunderson Roads 645 Salem St. &amp; Thrush Rd. 646 Thrush Rd. &amp; Marie Drive 647 Salem St. at North Reading Line 6471 Cronin's Pit 6472 Benevento's Pit 648 Woburn &amp; Andover Streets 6481 Pumping Station (Water Dept.) 6482 Insul Tab. Co. Ainsworth Rd. 6483 Highway Dept. 649 Andover St. &amp; Rte. 125 651 Andover St. at No. 319 652 Andover St. at Andover Line  SPECIAL SIGNALS 1 Test 2 All out (test 9 a.m. &amp; 9 p.m.) 3 Special Call 4 Brush Fire 5 Police Call 666 Civil Defense 7 Boy Scouts 22 No School (6:30 a.m., 7:00 a.m. &amp; 7:15a.m.) 2 Followed by 3 rounds of box - second alarm 3 Followed by 3 rounds of box - general alarm  MUTUAL AID (two rounds only) 8 Out of Town 81 To Andover 82 To Billerica 83 To Burlington 84 To Lowell 85 To No. Reading 86 To Reading 87 To Tewksbury 88 To Woburn</p>
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## POLICE

Numbers

658-3331 or 658-3332

## AMBULANCE

Numbers

658-3200 or 658-3346

## FIRE

Numbers

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# **Annual Report**

## **1969**

**Town of**  
**Wilmington**  
**Massachusetts**



In Memoriam

Minot J. Anderson

John W. Babine

James H. Bonahue

Elmer W. Eaton

John F. Hartnett, Sr.

Bernard J. McDonough

Bert Quigley

Harold S. Shea

James H. White, Sr.



TOWN OF WILMINGTON  
MASSACHUSETTS  

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN

On behalf of your Board of Selectmen, it gives me great pleasure to submit the 1969 Annual Report to you.

We were very proud this year to see the completion of the new Memorial Library, a building that is a landmark in our Town; also, the new elementary school on Shawsheen Avenue, not to mention the industrial growth that is a credit to our Town, like the buildings of Volkswagen, General Electric and approximately thirty other industries that have located within our Town. This industrial growth has helped to offset the rising taxes.

We are very sensitive to the demands of our citizens who now number about seventeen thousand, the tax burden and the increasing demand upon our public facilities. These problems are compounded by the Commonwealth dwindling away at our Home Rule and not providing adequate disbursement of funds to the towns, resulting in the constant increase in our taxes. We are continually working with our representatives to try to prevent the Commonwealth from dictating how we should run our own Town.

The Board of Selectmen have worked for closer relationship with the other Boards and Committees, resulting in harmony that has given the Town greater benefits.

To the Boards and Committees, and to the many volunteer workers, on behalf of the Board of Selectmen may I close by saying many thanks for your help and faith in good government. We will continue to strive to make the coming year a better year.

Respectfully submitted,

James F. Banda, Chairman  
George W. Boylen, Jr.  
Wavie M. Drew  
Bruce MacDonald  
James R. Miceli



## TOWN OF WILMINGTON

MASSACHUSETTS 01887

OFFICE OF THE  
TOWN MANAGER

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and Citizens of Wilmington:

I am a concerned citizen, to say the least, about the continuing and increasing trend of the Great and General Court to accept and pass legislation that is rapidly eroding the tax base of Wilmington and other Massachusetts communities. As an example, the collective bargaining process (mandated by State Law) becomes a mockery, when all pay and fringe benefits not obtained at the bargaining table are legislated into existence by the next layer of government.

As another illustration, the income from State receipts dropped almost \$100,000 in 1969 as compared to 1968. The expense side of the ledger, that is to say money paid to the other governmental units by Wilmington, is even more disheartening. The MBTA charge alone has increased from \$675.00 in 1964-5 to an estimated \$92,342 for 1970. All is not well in suburban Massachusetts, and in 1970 the Wilmington taxpayer controls less than twenty-three percent of his tax dollar.

It is clearly the proper time for the Town to define the relationship between our ability to pay for community and area services, and the many demands for services which are received from the citizen almost daily in the form of telephone calls, letters and petitions. As I reported in my 1970 Budget Message to the Selectmen and Finance Committee, these demands are for more sidewalks, speed control, clean water, street improvement, storm water drainage, dog impoundment, street lights, snow removal, tax abatements, tree planting, park improvements, veterans' assistance, environmental control, recreation facilities, police protection, legal and engineering assistance and many other areas in which the Town is involved.

The effective administration of the remaining municipal services (over which the townspeople still have control) becomes a major consideration for your elected, appointed officials and employees for the current year and for the years ahead. The tools which are presently being used, and a proposed new approach to effective administration include the following:

1. The establishment of goals and objectives and the scheduling of these goals: The first part is developed by the administration through the Planning Board and Town Manager using the comprehensive master plan technique, and the second part concerning scheduling is developed in a mathematical and computerized frame work to be subsequently approved by the Selectmen, Finance Committee and citizens of Wilmington.
2. The development of department and committee level policies, regulations and administrative procedures: This can be accomplished by extensive research and study of the same level and other levels of government.
3. The development of organization methodology which means the division of work among the departments and among the people of the departments: This aspect can be accomplished by re-orienting to a job-structured organization rather than a purely people-structured organization.
4. The development of work incentives, money and non-money: Few governmental units like Wilmington compete for qualified officials and employees. I firmly believe that we should do this in order to have a responsive organization capable of providing first class service. This pursuit was indicated by me in 1967 in a Town Hall Newsletter.
5. The development of communication is the final tool in the new approach to an effective administration and relates to all other aspects of community goals and objectives. This need and its fulfillment requires the Selectmen, Town Manager, and all appointed and elected boards, committees, commission and trustees to analyze their short range and long range needs to make their administrative unit effective, and further to describe in writing how they plan to do it. This new approach requires communication.

I wish to acknowledge that the progress which has been made over the past year is due to the leadership provided by the Board of Selectmen and the cooperation of all Town employees.

The Town of Wilmington will benefit most of all in the future by your presence at Town Meeting. Please plan to attend.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Sterling C. Morris  
Town Manager

DIRECTORY OF OFFICIALS - JANUARY 1, 1969 - 1970

		<u>Term Expires</u>
<u>BOARD OF SELECTMEN</u>	James F. Banda, Chairman	1971
	George W. Boylen, Jr.	1970
	Wavie M. Drew	1971
	Bruce MacDonald	1972
	James R. Miceli	1972
<u>TOWN MANAGER</u>	Sterling C. Morris	
<u>MODERATOR</u>	John M. Callan	Annually
<u>SCHOOL COMMITTEE</u>	William J. Fay, Jr., Chairman	1970
	Diana C. Imbimbo, Vice Chairman	1970
	L. Barbara Hooper, Secretary	1972
	John Brooks	1971
	Arnold F. Lanni	1972
	Walter J. McNamara	1971
<u>ACTING SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS</u>	Walter H. Pierce	
<u>FINANCE COMMITTEE</u>	Charles F. Mather, Chairman	1970
	Jeanne C. Pedersen, Vice Chairman	1972
	Rodney E. Laughton, Secretary	1970
	Christian G. Bachman	1972
	Richard V. Barry	1970
	Richard D. Howlett	1971
	Robert R. Smith	1972
	Harry T. Stewart, Jr.	1971
	James D. Tighe	1971
	Joseph F. Courtney (resigned)	
	Herbert W. Higley (resigned)	
	Bruce MacDonald (resigned)	

BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS - January 1, 1969 - 1970

APPEAL, BOARD OF

Robert E. Jennings, Chairman	1971
Frank F. Santo, Secretary	1970
Edward T. Welch	1972
William A. Caperci, Associate	1970
Peter Enos, Associate	1970
George G. Robertie, Associate	1970

ASSESSORS, BOARD OF

Anthony E. Krzeminski, Principal
Roy P. McClanahan
Olive M. Sheldon

CARTER LECTURE FUND COMMITTEE

Madelon C. Slater, Chairman	1970
Marjorie M. Emery, Secretary	1970
Jacqueline C. Platt	1970
Mildred E. Neilson	1971
Kenneth H. Wilson	1972

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

William F. Cavanaugh, Chairman	1970
Willis C. Lyford	1972
Thomas H. McMahon	1971

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Cynthia B. Williams, Chairman	1970
Arthur W. Bureau	1970
Carmello F. Colombo	1971
Robert G. Gamlin	1971
Ursula M. Leahy	1972
David J. Townley	1972

ELECTIONS OFFICERS

Harold E. Melzar, Warden	Annually
Stanley Webber, Deputy Warden	"
Florence E. Borofsky, Clerk	"
M. Gertrude Condrey, Dep. Clerk	"
Mildred A. Dolan, Inspector	"
Olive M. Sheldon, Inspector	"
Florence A. Balkus, Dep. Inspector	"
Elizabeth Cavanaugh, Dep. Inspector	"

HEALTH, BOARD OF

James J. Durkee, Chairman	1971
Marion C. Boylen	1970
Joseph A. Paglia	1972

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Earl W. Zimmerman, Chairman	1973
Rep. of State Housing Board	
Wilson J. Belbin, Vice Chairman & Assistant Treasurer	1971
Ernest M. Crispo, Treasurer	1973
M. Flora Kasabuski, Secretary	1970

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Shirley F. Callan, Chairman	1972
Albert J. Blackburn, Jr., Secretary	1970
Philip B. Buzzell	1972
Evelyn M. Norton	1971
Roland I. Wood	1971

PARK & RECREATION COMMISSION

Joseph H. Woods, Jr., Chairman	1970
Carl A. Backman	1971
Americo Catalano	1971
Charlotte Stewart	1970
John J. Waugh	1972

PERMANENT BUILDING COMMITTEE

Robert B. Michelson, Chairman	1971
Raymond G. McClure, Secretary	1970
William R. Harrison	1970
David A. Holbrook	1972
Arthur R. Smith, Jr.	1972

PLANNING BOARD

Madelyn A. McKie, Chairman	1970
William J. Hanlon, Secretary	1971
A. Daniel Gillis	1972
Morton Grant	1973
William G. Hooper, Jr.	1974

REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Robert F. Leahy, Chairman	1973
Rene J. LaRivee, Vice Chairman	1972
Raymond A. McNamara, Secretary & Act. Dir.	1971
Richard W. Thackeray, Treasurer	1974

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Eugene L. Kritter	1971
Frank H. McLean	1970

REGISTRARS, BOARD OF

Joseph P. Ring, Chairman	1970
Esther L. Russell, Clerk	
F. Talbot Emery	1972
Margaret Imbimbo	1971

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Harold E. Melzar, Chairman	1970
Mary E. Denault, Secretary	1972
Arnold C. Blake	1971

WATER & SEWER COMMISSIONERS

Arnold C. Blake, Chairman	1971
Vincent R. McLain	1972
Robert Mullarky	1970

ADVISORY COMMITTEES

PERSONNEL ADVISORY BOARD

A. John Imbimbo  
Thomas L. Mitchell  
Robert J. Woods

BY-LAW STUDY COMMITTEE

Joan M. Bachman, Chairman  
Stella Courtney  
Milton B. Cram  
John E. Nealon  
Stanley Webber

ICE SKATING RINK COMMITTEE

Carl A. Backman  
Carl A. Backman, Jr.  
Florence C. Ryan  
David W. Trickett

OFFICERS & DEPARTMENT HEADS - JANUARY 1, 1969 - 1970

Accountant  
Administrative Assistant  
Animal Inspector  
Building Inspector  
Cemetery Superintendent  
Civil Defense Director  
Constables  
Director of Recreation  
Dog Officer  
Engineer  
Fence Viewer  
Fire Chief  
Gas Inspector  
Highway Superintendent  
Ipswich River Watershed Commission  
Librarian (Acting)  
Medical Agent, Board of Health  
Metropolitan Area Planning Council  
Milk Inspector  
Nurse, Public Health  
Nurses, School  
Physician, School  
Plumbing Inspector  
Public Buildings Superintendent  
Police Chief  
Sealer, Weights and Measures  
Slaughtering Inspector  
Town Clerk  
Town Clerk (Assistant)  
Town Collector  
Town Collector (Deputy)  
Town Counsel  
Town Sanitarian  
Town Treasurer  
Tree Warden & Moth Superintendent  
Veteran's Agent  
Water Superintendent (Acting)  
Wire Inspector  
Veteran's Grave Officer

Robert H. Peters  
Mary E. Denault  
Joseph V. Balestrieri  
Roy P. McClanahan  
Francis E. Downs  
George S. Cushing  
Arthur J. Kelley, A. John Imbimbo  
Lawrence H. Cushing  
Joseph V. Balestrieri  
Arthur E. Harding, Jr.  
Edmund H. Sargent, Maurice D. O'Neil  
Arthur J. Boudreau  
William R. Harrison  
Robert P. Palmer  
James F. Banda  
Clara P. Chipman  
Gerald A. Fagan, M.D.  
Madelyn A. McKie  
Ernest F. Romano  
Anne Butters, R.N.  
Helen E. Martin, R.N., Sylvia Levine, R.N.  
Gerald A. Fagan, M.D.  
William R. Harrison  
Frederick S. Jaeschke  
Paul J. Lynch  
Martin P. Farrell  
Ernest F. Romano  
Esther L. Russell  
Margaret A. Wagstaff  
Marion C. Murphy  
Catherine P. Lindmark  
Alan Altman  
Ernest F. Romano  
Mary E. Denault  
Thomas O. Sullivan  
Paul A. Farrell  
Kenneth C. Motschman  
Charles L. Webster  
Paul A. Farrell

# Town Collector

<u>TOTAL COMMITMENTS - 1969</u>	\$5,051,222.62
1969 Real Estate	4,401,909.65
1969 Water Liens	10,101.72
1969 App. Street Betterment	5,205.76
Committed Interest	2,572.50
1969 App. Water Betterment	6,141.88
Committed Interest	2,992.67
1969 Motor Vehicle Excise	402,878.09
1969 Personal Property	184,422.10
1969 Farm	274.19
1968 Motor Vehicle Excise	26,883.23
App. Water Betterment - Paid in Full	5,008.60
Committed Interest	75.89
App. Street Betterment - Paid in Full	1,701.12
Committed Interest	42.58
App. Water Betterment - Paid in Advance	237.50
Committed Interest	5.15
Unapp. Water Betterment	769.99

<u>COLLECTIONS - 1969</u>	<u>1969</u>	<u>1968</u>	<u>Others</u>
Real Estate	4,056,762.81	83,018.44	34,916.22
Water Liens	8,309.06	949.04	455.15
App. Street Betterment	4,982.30	95.09	53.76
Committed Interest	2,445.88	50.44	38.92
App. Water Betterment	5,067.62	480.36	380.53
Committed Interest	2,338.14	302.15	269.84
Motor Vehicle Excise	340,537.66	46,468.91	3,463.08
Personal Property	125,752.77	1,417.50	1,572.20
Farm Animal	197.69	16.00	
App. Street Betterment Paid in Full	1,701.12		
Committed Interest	42.58		
App. Water Betterment Paid in Full	5,008.60		
Committed Interest	75.89		
App. Water Better. Paid in Advance	237.50		
Committed Interest	5.15		
Unapp. Water Betterment	769.99		
Interest & Costs - All Years	13,611.99		
Municipal Lien Certificates and Certificates Dis. Betterments	1,026.00		
Ambulance	3,078.00		
Advertising Charges	33.75		
Court Charges	8.55		
Registry of Motor Vehicle Releases	58.00		
Water Department Collections	258,131.21		

TOTAL COLLECTIONS \$5,004,129.89

# Board of Assessors

## TABLE OF AGGREGATES FOR WILMINGTON OF PROPERTY AND TAXES, AS ASSESSED JANUARY 1, 1969

Compiled from the figures entered in the Valuation List:

### Number of Parcels Assessed:

#Bills on Personal Estate	203
#Bills on Real Estate	8211
#Bills on Farm Animal Excise	7

### Value of Assessed Personal Estate:

Stock in Trade	\$ 759,800.00
Machinery	98,400.00
Live Stock	42,650.00
All Other Tangible Personal Property	3,597,250.00
Total Value of Assessed Personal Estate	\$4,498,100.00

### Value of Assessed Real Estate:

Land Exclusive of Buildings	21,356,500.00
Buildings Exclusive of Land	86,005,300.00
Total Value of Assessed Real Estate	\$107,361,800.00

Total Value of Assessed Estate \$111,859,900.00

Tax Rate per \$1,000 = \$41.00

### Taxes for State, County and Town Purposes, Including Overlay:

On Personal Estate	184,422.10
On Real Estate	4,401,833.80
Total Taxes Assessed	\$4,586,255.90

### Number of Live Stock Assessed:

	<u>General</u>	<u>Farm Animals</u>
Horses (1 year old, or over)	46	
Neat Cattle (1 year old, or over)	3	41
Cows (Milch)		
Bulls 1, Oxen 0, Steers 0, Heifers 3	4	140
Swine (6 months old, or over)	0	815
Sheep (6 months old, or over)	2	22
Fowl	0	9350
All Other	43	6698

Number of Acres of Land Assessed 10,340

Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed 4,325

# RECAPITULATION - 1969

Total Appropriation (Taxation)	\$5,498,940.82	
Total Appropriation (Available Funds)	<u>523,031.89</u>	\$6,021,972.71
Amount Necessary to Satisfy Final Court Judgments	49,293.11	
Total Deficits	62,491.61	
School Lunch Program	24,205.98	
Free Public Libraries	3,118.75	
Natural Resources, Self Help Program	4,750.00	
Appropriation Overdraft - 1967 (Snow & Ice Removal)	7,443.48	
County Retirement Assessment	98,025.50	
County Tax	92,260.27	
County Hospital Assessment	5,834.06	
State Recreation Areas	18,572.82	
State Recreation Areas (1968 Underestimates)	1,399.15	
Metropolitan Districts Area Charge	56,710.69	
Metropolitan Districts Area Charge (1968 Underestimates)	492.40	
Mass. Bay Transportation Authority	32,338.18	
Mass. Bay Transportation Authority (1968 Underestimates)	.14	
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills	1,529.70	
Overlay of Current Year	<u>\$ 147,477.84</u>	<u>\$ 605,943.68</u>
Gross Amount to be Raised		<u>\$6,627,916.39</u>
<u>Less Estimated Receipts and Available Funds:</u>		
1969 Estimated Receipts from Local Aid and Agency Funds	\$ 996,087.63	
Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	372,028.58	
Licenses	4,000.00	
Fines	9,252.70	
Special Assessments	13,447.24	
General Government	6,536.11	
Protection of Persons and Property	15,182.00	
Health and Sanitation	6,231.53	
School (Local Receipts of School Committee)	2,928.60	
Libraries	1,453.60	
Cemeteries	6,735.00	
Interest	56,977.71	
Farm Animal	254.99	
Ambulance Collections	1,702.00	
Sewer Revenue	16,109.50	
Misc. Receipts	<u>6,087.51</u>	
Total Estimated Receipts	<u>\$1,515,014.70</u>	
Overestimates of Previous Year	3,613.90	
Voted From Available Funds	<u>523,031.89</u>	
Total Available Funds	<u>\$ 526,645.79</u>	
Total Estimated Receipts		<u>\$2,041,660.49</u>
Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation		<u><u>\$4,586,255.90</u></u>

# Town Clerk

## Vital Statistics - Chapter 46, General Laws as Amended:

Births - final figure for 1968	330
Births - actually recorded to date for 1969	280
Marriage Intentions recorded	214
Marriages recorded	230
Deaths recorded	100

## Chapter 46, Section 15:

The Town Clerk will furnish to parents, householders, physicians, and registered hospital medical officers applying therefor, blanks for the return of births as required by law.

## Chapter 114, Section 45:

Twenty (20) Burial Permits have been issued by the Town Clerk as Special Agent for the Board of Health in 1969. Six (6) out-of-state deaths reported - permits filed in this office.

## TOWN RECORDS

### Permits and Certificates of Registration for the Storage of Inflammables:

These licenses must be registered by the owner or occupant of the land, or by the holder of the license in the Town Clerk's office on or before April 30 of each year. Notification will be sent on or about March 15. If not registered by law, the license may be revoked by the licensing authority after a public hearing.

Inflammables	104
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### Other records:

Uniform Commercial Code recordings	623
Uniform Commercial Code terminations	34
Federal Tax Lien recordings	23
Dog Licenses issued as of January 15, 1970	1567
Duplicate dog tags issued - January 15, 1970	20
Business Certificates recorded	29
Business Certificates recorded (women doing business on separate checking account)	3
Business withdrawals	0
Fish and Game licenses	881
Pole Locations	14
Medical Registration	0
Bazaars and Raffles	4
Identification liquor purchase cards	3

### Other Services:

Keep minutes of Annual and Special Town Meetings up to date. (Certify same when requested.)  
Town Clerk has complete charge of elections. Record election results.

Other Services: (continued)

Send State election results to State House forthwith.  
Keep Jury List up to date. Draw jurors when court orders come through.  
Certified (193) copies of Births, Marriages and Deaths.  
Certified (318) births - Abstract form - used for school entrances, drivers' licenses, out of state travel and job applications.

Proof of residence; by letter or card - undetermined number.  
Miscellaneous sales of books and maps - undetermined number.  
Receive writs against the Town and forward copies of same to the Town Counsel.  
Occasionally appear in Court for the Town when summoned - producing all papers and maps required.  
Accept business registrations and keep a file for public use.  
Complete notes of the Town as received from the Town Treasurer - after approval by Selectmen.  
Certify same.  
Record Board of Appeal Decisions - Keep file of Decisions by Town Counsel.  
Record minutes and decisions of the Planning Board.  
Keep a file of Annual Reports.  
Keep a file of all zoning and Town By-Law changes as approved by the Attorney General.  
Swear Town Officers to the faithful performance of their duties and keep a record of same.

The Town Clerk, in her capacity as a Justice of the Peace, certified an undetermined number of legal papers for town officers. Married couples by appointment when presented with the proper credentials.

By virtue of her office, the Town Clerk is clerk to the Board of Registrars. In this capacity, I have -

Met with the Board on regular meetings and special meetings.  
Kept the minutes of the Board up to date.  
Worked with the Police on the census.  
Kept the voting list up to date.  
Registered voters during office hours.  
Supervised the distribution and filing of Nomination papers.  
Prepared the ballot and ordered the printing of same. Supervised the printing of the "Persons' Listed" book.  
Hired election workers. Prepared payrolls for election workers.

In order to complete our records, the Town Clerk would like to receive copies of back years of "Persons' Listed" books. If you have such books and are willing to dispose of them, please contact this office. Of particular need at present are the years 1940-1941-1942-1943 and 1950.

# Board of Registrars

In accordance with Section 1, Chapter 3, of the Town By-Laws, meetings of the Board of Registrars are held on the second Monday of each month for the registration of voters and the conduct of business. Under Chapter 62 of the Acts of 1958, this meeting is open to the public and the press, and it is so posted in the Town Hall.

One all-day registration was held as posted. The Board held extra meetings for the purpose of certifying names on nomination papers and warrant articles.

Women married prior to January 1 must re-register under their marriage name. Naturalized citizens must have their naturalization papers with them when registering.

In order to keep the voting list as up-to-date as possible, the Board annually compares the voting list with the yearly census. If a voter's name does not appear in the census, it is subject to removal from the voting register.

New residents are requested to notify the Board of Registrars of the date which they take residence in the town. Any change of address within the town during the year should be brought to the attention of the Board so that your name will not be removed from the voting list inadvertently.

1969 POPULATION - (estimated)..... 16,700

1969 DOGS LISTED -..... 1,851

## REGISTERED VOTERS AS OF JANUARY 1, 1969 (estimated)

Democrats	2,463
Republicans	1,042
Undeclared	<u>3,175</u>
Total	6,680

# Town Treasurer

Cash on Hand - January 1, 1969	973,413.08
Receipts	14,657,426.44
Disbursements	15,041,312.23
Cash on Hand - December 31, 1969	589,527.29

## Investments:

During 1969 the program of investing idle funds from Bond Issues and Revenue Funds was continued with a resulting profit of \$73,112.68.

# Memorial Library

With a great deal of civic pride the doors of the new Wilmington Memorial Library opened in May, 1969, marking an important phase of our heritage and reflecting a solid foundation of planning and accomplishment, for our library is not only a continuing educational institution but a center of community cultural growth.

The move from the small library was accomplished with the enthusiastic and able assistance of the Wilmington Girl Scouts and the Explorer's Group of Boy Scouts. An Open House was held on May 23rd with town officials, the public, and librarians from surrounding towns in attendance; formal dedication ceremonies were held on Memorial Day.

The year 1969 saw several changes on the Board of Trustees. The townspeople and the library board not only wish to pay tribute to Mr. Cornelius Joyce who resigned as Trustee, but to Mrs. Larz Neilson, who during her fifteen years as Trustee, brought initiative, imagination and energy to the Board. We are also greatly indebted to Mr. Carlo Gubellini who resigned, having served as Chairman of the Board during the years of planning and construction of the new facility and gave unstintingly of himself and his time throughout this period of great work and responsibility.

The Board wishes to welcome Mrs. John Callan and Mr. Roland Wood who were appointed by the Town Manager to fill two of these vacancies.

Mr. James L. Connors, who had been Head Librarian for over two years, resigned in November. His resignation was regretfully accepted by the Trustees, for he will be long-remembered for his ready wit, warmth and friendliness to every library patron, young and old alike. We are grateful for his efforts in the bringing together of ideas and people which is one of the fundamentals of library service.

Former Head Librarian, Mrs. Clara Chipman, has been appointed Acting Librarian while the Board is engaged in seeking a Librarian and completing the furnishing of the new facility.

The story hour for pre-school children continues to be a popular service, ably and faithfully carried on by Mrs. Bruce MacDonald, Mrs. William McGinley, and Mrs. Edmund Passmore. We regretfully accepted the resignation of Mrs. Theodore McKie and Mrs. Sullivan as readers and are most grateful for the time and talent given by them.

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Books added to library	6,417
Recordings added	120
Books circulated	93,533
Periodicals circulated	948
Recordings circulated	598
Fines collected	\$1,257.60

Book circulation continued its rapid growth and represents an increase of 6,259 over that of 1968. Circulation of periodicals has more than doubled during the year; these increases are due in part to the placing of a world of books, in a modern setting, at the fingertips of the townspeople, by the investment in a new library.

During the coming year the Trustees hope to formulate plans and programs for the development of increased library services aimed at meeting the needs of the community.

# Town Counsel

In accordance with the requirements of the Town By-Laws, I submit herewith my report as Town Counsel covering the year 1969.

A. On January 1, 1969, there were pending the following actions by or against the Town (exclusive of actions in which the Town was merely summoned as trustee, and in which it had no interest, and of tax lien foreclosure proceedings in the Land Court and petitions for abatement before the Appellate Tax Board\*).

Beatrice G. Swenson v. Town of Wilmington, etal Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Richard Donahue v. Town of Wilmington etal Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action to recover damages for blasting).

City of Boston v. Town of Wilmington, Suffolk Superior Court (Action to recover \$2174.62 for aid to various indigent persons).

Harvey Lobdell v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition in equity for appeal for variance of zoning by-laws).

George Vokey, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Paul Bongiorno, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Charles Choate Memorial Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action to recover \$1382.72 for aid to indigent persons).

Lena M. Eames v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Action to recover \$1253.32 for aid to indigent persons).

Austin L. Rounds v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

George Vokey etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

George M.A.M. Webber v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Angelo M. Sorrentino, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Town of Wilmington v. Magee Construction Company, Inc. of Arlington etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Action to restrain the removal of soil, loam, sand or gravel).

Androniki Gaglione v. Thomas B. Brennan, etal Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages).

Glen Avenue Realty Corp., Inc. v. Board of Health, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for writ of mandamus to require issuance of sanitary permit). (Judgment for the Town after trial and on appeal to the Supreme Judicial Court).

Eugene L. Clifford v. Board of Assessors etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Declaratory judgment to declare unconstitutional arrest for non payment of motor vehicle excise taxes).

James V. DeCarolus, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

James A. Demos v. Town of Wilmington etal Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action to recover for property damage).

I. Fred DiCenso, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals granting application for variance).

Thomas M. Quinn v. Zoning Board of Appeal of Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals affirming decision of Building Inspector).

Fulton Railing, Inc. v. Town of Wilmington, Essex Superior Court (Action to recover balance due on contract).

Milk Street Construction Company v. Town of Wilmington, American Arbitration Association (Claim for arbitration before American Arbitration Association concerning building contract).

George Morey, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition in equity appealing Board of Appeals' denial of variance).

Pasquale Russo v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action of contract to recover award of damage for land taking).

Herbert D. Stevens v. Board of Water & Sewer Commissioners, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for review for denial by Board of Water Commissioners of abatement of water betterment).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Action to recover \$1230.50 for aid to various indigent persons).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Action to recover \$1008.41 for aid to indigent persons).

Joseph Scaro, etal v. County of Middlesex, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Town of Wilmington v. John Benevento, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Action to restrain the removal of soil, loam, sand or gravel).

\*There are pending as of January 1, 1970, 43 separate petitions for abatements before the Appellate Tax Board, many involving claims for several different years.

B. (1) During the year 1969, the following new actions were brought against the Town or its officers or agents: -

Charles Choate Memorial Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Action to recover \$103.33 for aid to an indigent person).

Wales Co., dba Brewsters of Massachusetts, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Claim for money had and received; money paid by mistake).

Avco Corporation v. Board of Assessors, Supreme Judicial Court (Finding for Appellant, Avco Corporation, and on appeal to Supreme Judicial Court).

William Bowers, Jr., etux v. County of Middlesex etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

City of Boston v. Treasurer & Receiver-General of the Commonwealth, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Declaratory action by City of Boston to reduce its proportionate assessment of MDC charges by approximately 1.7 million dollars and cause the same to be redistributed).

Robert W. Wisleder, etux v. County of Middlesex, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

David B. Hill, etux v. County of Middlesex, etals, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Timothy P. Benoit, etux v. County of Middlesex, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for assessment of damages for land taking).

Fred Drinkwater dba v. Milk Street Construction Co., Inc., etal, Suffolk Superior Court (Petition to establish a statutory lien).

Joseph J. Flynn, Inc., v. Board of Appeals, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of the Board of Appeals).

Richardson Electrical Co., Inc. v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Demand for direct payment under Chapter 30, Section 39F).

Carl A. Jensen, etals v. Board of Appeals, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Appeal from decision of Board of Appeals).

Robert P. Stevens, Tr., etal, v. Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners, Middlesex Superior Court (Claim for money had and received).

William Silva v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Claim for money owned).

B. (2) During the year 1969, the following new actions were brought by or on behalf of the Town: -

Town of Wilmington v. G & G Printing Co., Inc., Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Claim for personal property taxes due).

Town of Wilmington v. Outdoor Advertising Board, Middlesex Superior Court (Petition for review of issuance of permit for outdoor billboard).

C. During the year 1969, the following actions by or against the Town were finally disposed of: -

Eugene L. Clifford v. Board of Assessors, etal, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by final decree dismissing petition after trial).

George M.A.M. Webber v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$1100.00).

Thomas M. Quinn v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by final decree dismissing bill after trial; appeal to Supreme Judicial Court withdrawn).

James V. DeCarolus, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$42,018.48).

I Fred DiCenso, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by final decree dismissing bill).

Angelo M. Sorrentino etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$7,057.00).

Herbert D. Stevens v. Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by final decree dismissing bill seeking abatement of water betterment).

Charles Choate Memorial Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Disposed of by agreement for neither party).

Lena M. Eames v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$4,722.24 subsequent payment of protanto offer).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$150.00).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Disposed of by agreement for neither party).

Massachusetts General Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Municipal Court of the City of Boston (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$1,008.41).

Austin L. Rounds v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$1,000.00).

Pasquale Russo v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$2,300.00).

William Silva v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$201.71).

George Vokey, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by Motion to Quash petition for assessment of damages allowed and petition dismissed).

Charles Choate Memorial Hospital v. Town of Wilmington, Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Disposed of by payment of \$864.38 to the plaintiff, Charles Choate Memorial Hospital).

George Vokey, etal v. Town of Wilmington, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by payment of execution in the amount of \$6,500.00).

George Morey, etal v. Board of Appeals, Middlesex Superior Court (Disposed of by Court affirming Board of Appeal's decision, final decree dismissing bill).

Town of Wilmington v. G & G Printing Co., Inc., Fourth District Court of Eastern Middlesex (Disposed of by finding for the Town in the amount of \$461.80 plus interest).

# Planning Board

In accordance with Chapter 3, Section 2 of the Town of Wilmington By-Laws, the Planning Board respectfully submits its annual report for the year 1969.

Each year there is an increase in the activity of the Planning Board, and the year 1969 was busier than any of the preceding years, both in the field of planning as well as in sub-division work. The Board has been meeting every Tuesday evening, the first and third Tuesdays of the month for Planning and the second and four for sub-division work.

The Board was fortunate when Mr. Morton L. Grant was appointed early in the year to assume some of its increased responsibilities although it regretfully accepted the resignation of Mr. Walter L. Hale, Jr. immediately following the Annual Town Meeting in March.

## PLANNING

Planning work continued on the "701" Master Plan studies under the most able guidance of our consultant, Prof Charles W. Eliot. It became obvious toward the end of the year that the completion date of March 31, 1970 would be impossible to meet and an extension of three months has been requested of both the State and Federal agencies participating in the project.

A "Master Plan" or Comprehensive General Plan is, in one sense, a picture of how the Town might look twenty or twenty-five years hence. For Wilmington, it is a huge picture, covering 17.08 square miles or 10,957 acres; and with an even larger background reflecting the influence of Metropolitan Boston and the Ipswich and Merrimack River Valleys. The colors in the picture represent the shapes and uses of land in woods, pastures, and swamps, and for different purposes of residence, business, industry, agriculture, recreation, conservation, etc. With the passage of time and inevitable change, all of these colors or land uses change. The design or structure in this picture reflects the economic functioning of the community and the forces of transportation and communication which play upon it.

Every "Master Plan" or Comprehensive General Plan has at least three purposes:

1. To state or establish Goals or Objectives;
2. To picture the future of the community in maps, diagrams and words as it might desirably appear in fifteen or twenty years; and
3. To propose actions to carry out the Plan.

## GOALS

The proposals for "Wilmington Future" in the General Plan are directed towards:

- A. Protection of valued existing characteristics of the Town, and of environmental and property values against destruction, pollution, or avoidable loss.
- B. Effective use and maintenance of previous investments in streets and highways, schools and recreation facilities, public buildings and lands, and public services.
- C. Development of Residential, Commercial and Industrial Uses in Neighborhood Patterns, shaped by open spaces, and provided with services and amenities for the welfare of all the people.

- D. Provision of essential and desired facilities and services, - ranging from streets for access and to alleviate traffic congestion, through schools and recreation, police and fire protection, water supply, solid waste disposal, and sewerage to Town offices and service buildings.
- E. Retention of opportunities for our successors to adjust to new and presently unforeseen needs and to "inevitable change."

Orderly growth requires advance planning for land use, traffic circulation and access, community facilities and the amenities. The Comprehensive General Plan presented in these pages is a further step in the continuing process of planning for those purposes.

Attention was also given to pressing problems which could not wait for the completion of the Planning Program. Among these "special" situations which required time consuming and detailed consideration were:

- 1) The collapse of the Shawsheen Avenue Bridge and the plans for a substitute location at Richmond St.
- 2) Proposals for a "Middle Belt", with "corridor" location and design studies by Highway Consultants to the Mass. Department of Public Works
- 3) Proposal by the M.A.P.C., in its Open Space Plan, for a major "Reservation" in southwest Wilmington and Burlington with two or more "retention-recreation" reservoirs
- 4) The status and disposition of "Town-Owned" and other Tax Delinquent Properties in Wilmington
- 5) Proposals for Conservancy Zoning to protect the wetlands of the Town against pollution, and the residents against flooding and the hazards of high water.

Special reports and recommendations on each of these subjects were prepared and studied by the Planning Board.

During 1969, the work on Surveys and Data Collection, has, of course, been continued, intensified and the draft chapter reports put in semi-final form. Citizen participation by groups and individuals has greatly aided the project, and every request by the Board or its Consultant for information, assistance or conference with other Town officials and agencies has been met with cooperation. Projects aided in these ways included:

- 1) For the Natural Features Inventory, the Conservation Commission organized a series of Committees with specially qualified citizens who identified, prepared lists and mapped the location of the "natural science and natural beauty" features of the Town. The Inventory included Botanic, Geologic, Ornithologic, and Natural Science Features, which in the opinion of the particular committee should be protected or enhanced. The participation of informed citizens in this endeavor has been especially valuable.
- 2) For the Chapter on Settlement and History, Captain Larz Neilson provided a wealth of materials and editorial review.
- 3) Questionnaire. Because the Planning Board was anxious to have the Comprehensive General Plan reflect the views and desires of their fellow townspeople, a Planning Questionnaire was initiated with the help of the Consultant, and mailed to everyone receiving water service in the Town on January 3, 1969. Some 1040 householders (about a quarter of those questioned) filled out and returned the questionnaires, - a most encouraging indication of the eager interest and concern of the townspeople in the future of the Town.

Coding and tabulation of the returns have provided data on land use and residences, on commuting and shopping travel, lot sizes, industrial development, conservation policies, etc.; and stimulated comments and suggestions on what is "Right about Wilmington" or bad about existing conditions, and what improvements or changed policies should be considered in the "Master Plan."

- 4) Employees' Residences and Places of Work. Records were made available by AVCO, and, through the co-operation of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, by five other major employers in the Town, from which "origin and destination" traffic lines have been derived. This data, combined with figures on commuting and shopping habits of Wilmington residents from the Questionnaire has helped to locate points of traffic congestion requiring attention.

The Consultant, his Associates, and Assistants have continued their work on Inventory Data for Part I of the Report and as special information was needed in connection with the preparation of plans and proposals on Open Space, Streets and Highways, Schools, etc. These materials have included information on land uses, roads and traffic, population trends and economic data, "capacity" for growth under existing zoning, and planning activities in neighboring towns.

The "Operational Soil Survey" for Wilmington has been prepared by the U.S. Soil Conservation Service under a separate contract with the Town. All of the field work was completed by August 1, 1968, and maps and reports on soils and "soil association" in different parts of the Town were delivered on May 20, 1969. The report records the soils and reviews the suitability of soils for a variety of uses, and the severity of limitations on those uses due to soil conditions.

#### PRELIMINARY PLANS AND PROGRESS REPORT

On February 4, 1969, Preliminary Plans and a Progress Report on all of the work under the "701" Planning Project to that date were presented to a meeting of Town Officers, citizens and officials of the Mass. Department of Community Affairs at Avco Corporation complex. Maps were exhibited and explained by the consultant and his associates. Well over 100 persons attended the meeting and participated in the general discussion of the possible lines of action and policy outlined by the Chairman of the Planning Board and the Planning Consultant. With the helpful suggestions and criticisms obtained from that meeting, work then proceeded on the revision and amplification of these preliminary studies.

#### DEVELOPMENT OF PLANS

Proposals for future land use, open space, commercial and industrial development; for streets and highways; schools and public facilities, and for utilities have been developed by the Consultant in drafts for discussion with the Planning Board and with Town Officers and others particularly concerned.

For this work, the Planning Board and the Consultant have kept in close touch with the Town Manager and have met with the Selectmen, Finance Committee, Conservation Commission, Permanent Building Committee, and other Town Officials to review with them problems and procedures, sources of data, and possible policies and programs. There have also been meetings with the Planning Boards from adjoining towns, with the Ipswich River Watershed Commission and with the Towns in the corridor proposed for the Middle Belt. Since both the Chairman of the Planning Board and the Consultant are members of the Executive Committee of the M.A.P.C. the relationship between regional and local planning proposals has received constant attention. The Planning Consultant has conferred with State Officials at the Department of Public Works, Department of Commerce and Development, Department of Community Affairs and Department of Natural Resources for data and information on projects and proposals affecting Wilmington.

#### ACTIONS TAKEN DURING PLANNING PERIOD

While the "General Plan" was being prepared, actions affecting the work have, of course, continued, and the Planning Consultant has participated in many of the conferences when projects and proposals were under discussion.

a. Zoning. At the 1969 Town Meeting, the Town failed to register the necessary two-thirds vote to amend the Zoning By-Law to include a "Conservancy District", as proposed by the Planning Board. This proposal was intended to protect the wetlands of the Town against destruction by filling or building and against pollution of water supply sources. On the other hand, the Town Meeting followed the recommendations of the Planning Board - approving or rejecting other articles relating to Zoning, including approval of a petition to the General Court for exemption from the 50 foot lot provisions of the Zoning Enabling Act, repeal of the "Stadium" provisions, and numerous other changes. The cooperation of the voters on the 50 foot lot item is definitely a step forward for Wilmington.

b. Land Acquisition and Assignment of "Town-Owned" lands to Town Agencies for public purposes has continued, with particular attention to the furtherance of the so-called "Hathaway Acres" project between Charlotte Drive and Martins Brook, and the acquisition of properties on the shores of Silver Lake. A vote of the Town Meeting to acquire the Grange Property was declared "defective", but corrective action is being taken at the 1970 Town Meeting.

The Planning Board, its Consultant, the Town Manager and Town Treasurer have devoted a great deal of study to the status and appropriate disposition of the "Town-Owned" and other Tax Title properties in the Town. The recommendations for open space, well-fields, School sites and other public lands in the General Plan reflect those studies in specific proposals for assignment of parcels to particular Town agencies.

c. Streets and Highways: The 1969 Town Meeting "accepted the layouts" for a number of streets and street widenings which are parts of the Major Street Plan. Most importantly, the Town approved action to relocate the Shawsheen Avenue Bridge. This project is close to that recommended in the 1957 General Plan and a first step in provision of "A New Route 129" which has been the subject of numerous meetings with the Town Manager, Selectmen, and Representative Cain. Studies by the Planning Consultant and the Town Engineer for a by-pass of Main Street - incorporating the "Olson Street Project" have been presented to the Mass. Department of Public Works.

Under our form of government and with our reliance on initiative by private enterprise, actions to carry out plans will depend on a multitude of decisions by many people. It is hoped that the "picture" of how Wilmington might look fifteen or twenty years hence may suggest to owners or developers of properties, some of the possibilities which would benefit both themselves and the whole community. Certainly one of the purposes in preparing a Comprehensive Plan is to encourage, induce, and guide private actions in the public interest.

At the same time, it is necessary to restrain those who might act or propose actions contrary to the plan or which would prevent others or the Town itself from carrying out particular projects which are important elements of the plan. Furthermore, the Town should carefully review the actions by private developers to prevent undue burdens on the general public, - both immediately or at a future date.

Governments, at all levels from Town and County or Regional through State and Federal, - can and should take many actions to bring the picture nearer reality and to protect the future against unwise commitments in the present.

It is well known, for instance, that the opening of a new road, highway improvements, or the availability of water, sewers and utilities, or the construction of a new school are positive influences in the manner and direction of private investment. By the provision and timing of "public improvements" or by the deliberate withholding of services, government can and does effect the where and when of growth and development.

#### SUB-DIVISION REGULATIONS

During the year the Board received 70 applications for the sub-division of land. Of these, six represented major developments which required several meetings with the developers and involved many hours of the Board's time. In addition to this, the Board met with several developers to discuss possible methods of employing various zoning devices not presently included in the Zoning By-Law.

#### SMALL LOTS

This was the year for Victory! Our long battle against the development of under-size lots was won! Rep. Fred Cain entered a bill to exempt the Town from the provisions of the General Laws which allow building on lots containing 5,000 square feet and having 50 feet of frontage. In July the bill became a law, thus making Wilmington exempt from this provision which had raised havoc with our zoning, changing population and density projections.

#### MASS. FEDERATION OF PLANNING BOARDS - REGION 5A

At the annual meeting of Region 5A, Mr. Gillis was voted Director and Mrs. McKie, Secretary of this organization which consists of twenty-three cities and towns in the northeast sector of the State.

The next decade will produce a more regional approach to planning, particularly for roads, water supplies, low-cost housing, housing for the elderly, area pollution and solid waste disposal.

During 1969 many visits were made to other planning boards in an effort to coordinate planning programs. These visits have brought attention to the individuality of the "typical New England Towns", especially where there has been much care and consideration given to preserve the aura of this unique picture. Each of us in Wilmington should strive to retain this characteristic environment which is fast disappearing before the bulldozer or the financial speculator.

#### METROPOLITAN AREA PLANNING COUNCIL

At the annual meeting of the MAPC in May, Mrs. McKie was elected to the Executive Committee of the Council and later appointed to the Budget and Program Committees.

This added responsibility has meant attendance at more meetings in order to fulfill the obligations accepted with these new commitments. Full Council meetings were attended and the required volumes containing planning proposals to be discussed at these meetings were read.

Mrs. Julia O'Brien, MAPC planner who prepared the Open Space Report of that organization, met with the Board of Selectmen, the Town Manager and Mrs. McKie to confer with the Selectmen regarding the Council's proposal for two artificial lakes with surrounding parkland, comparing it with the Blue Hills Reservation.

It is felt that involvement of its representative with the various activities of the Council is definitely advantageous to the Town since it helps to keep abreast of current regional approaches of planning.

#### SUB-REGIONAL INTER-TOWN LIAISON COMMITTEE

The Board has joined eight other communities who are interested in opposing the Middle Circumferential Belt proposed by the DPW during the past year. An informal organization has been formed, resulting in the above name and commonly referred to as SILC. Two representatives from each town comprise the committee; one appointed by the Selectmen (Mr. Gordon Haywood) and one by the Planning Board of each particular town (Mr. Gillis, Mrs. McKie, alternate).

One meeting a month, each in a different town, has been agreed upon. Since the organization is still too young to expect any results, no evaluation of its efforts can be made at this time but combined thoughts and energy usually produce more substantial effect.

#### STATE DEPARTMENTS

In the course of its work, the Planning Board has contacted some departments of the State Government. Some of these represented trips into Boston for meetings with the Department of Community Affairs, Department of Public Works, Department of Natural Resources and the Attorney General's Office.

#### OTHER TOWNS

On several occasions the Board has met with Planning Boards from the towns of Andover, Burlington, No. Reading, Reading, Tewksbury and Woburn in an attempt to coordinate the planning of the towns.

#### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

During the early part of the year, the Board met with representatives of the Chamber of Commerce on several occasions to explain the Proposed Conservancy District article on the warrant of the annual Town Meeting.

Later in the year, the Board requested the Chamber to contact the major industries for a list from each containing the number of employees and their places of residence. The Board is grateful for their cooperation in this matter since the information gathered is an important part of our Master Plan.

#### HATCH ACT

In its advisory capacity, the Planning Board has appeared at each Hatch Act hearing held by the Board of Selectmen to report its recommendations based upon the information contained in various planning reports.

#### TOWN ENGINEER

The Town Engineer, Mr. Harding, has attended Planning Board meetings to discuss parking plans, drainage problems, sub-division plans and the problem of the location of the Wilmington-Burlington town line. His invaluable assistance has been most helpful as has been his cooperative efforts in aiding the Board in its planning endeavors.

#### BOARD OF APPEALS HEARINGS

This past year has been one of increased cooperation and understanding with the Board of Appeals. It is felt that generally the information and statements offered by the Board have been seriously considered in the decision of each case.

Statements are not made unless the application for appeal falls within those areas which, according to the Zoning By-Law, require the opinion of the Board. Unfortunately, these recommendations tend to be of the negative variety. It should be noted that the relationship of the Planning Board to the Board of Appeals is in that of an advisory capacity.

#### OTHER BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS

Since the Master Plan represents a picture of the total community, it follows quite naturally that the Board should contact many of the other boards, committees and commissions within the Town. Meetings have been held with the following:

Town Manager and his Administrative Assistant  
Board of Selectmen  
Town Counsel

Moderator  
Board of Appeals  
Principal Assessor

OTHER BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS (continued)

Building Inspector	School Committee
Conservation Commission	School Superintendent
Finance Committee	Skating Rink Study Committee
Board of Health and its Director	Town Clerk
Housing Authority	Redevelopment Authority
Permanent Building Committee	Water & Sewer Commissioners
Recreation Commission	

The Board wishes to express its gratitude for the cooperation which these people have displayed.

Special acknowledgement should be given to Mr. Morris, our Town Manager, for the interest he has demonstrated in our various responsibilities; to Mr. Eliot, our Planning Consultant, for the extra trips to Wilmington and the countless extra hours he has contributed; and all those private citizens who have supported the Board on numerous occasions; to the Wilmington League of Women Voters who so ably assisted at our Planning Seminars; and last, but not least, Mrs. Evelyn Burke, our Clerk, who has contributed immeasurably to the efficiency of the Board.

CITIZENS PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

At the present time, the Board is attempting to form an advisory committee composed of interested citizens who are willing to assist in the planning program. Members would be asked to meet at mutually agreed-upon times to review and discuss planning proposals contained in the Master Plan. This effort should result in the involvement of the residents of the Town and the incorporation of their views into the planning for the future of Wilmington. It is the sincere desire of the Board that many residents will fill in and return the form below.

Citizens Planning Advisory Committee

I am interested in joining the Citizens Planning Advisory Committee.

I am especially interested in:

Circulation of Traffic	Recreation
Environmental Protection	Water
Zoning	Schools
Other areas of interest	

\_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to Planning Board, Town Hall, Wilmington,  
Massachusetts 01887

# Police Department

I hereby respectfully submit my Annual Report covering the activities of the Wilmington Police Department for the year 1969.

## ARRESTS

Accosting Person of Opposite Sex	1	Juvenile Delinquents	156
Assault and Battery	26	Kidnapping	2
Assault and Battery on Police Officer	1	Larceny	30
Assault With a Dangerous Weapon	2	Larceny by Check	15
Arrest for Other Departments	42	Larceny of Motor Vehicle	4
A.W.O.L. (Military)	2	Lewd and Lascivious in Speech and Behavior	1
Being a Minor With Liquor in Possession	6	Loitering in a Public Place	1
Board of Health Violation	1	Malicious Damage to Property	17
Breaking and Entering	13	Non Support	13
Contributing to the Delinquency of a Minor	3	Possession of Narcotic Drugs	4
Cruelty to Animals	2	Receiving Stolen Property	1
Curfew Law Violations	15	Runaways	7
Disorderly Conduct	57	Selling Obscene Material to Person Under Eighteen	1
Drunkenness	115	Stubborn Child	4
Evading Fare (Taxi)	1	Suspicious Person	3
Firearm Law Violation	1	Trespassing	6
Fugitive From Justice	3	Unlawful Disposal of Rubbish	2
Giving False Name to Police Officer	1	Use of Narcotic Drugs	2
Indecent Assault on Child Under Fourteen	2	Violation of Probation	2
Indecent Exposure	1	Warrant Arrest	62

## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Assaults Reported	96	House Checks (Vacations, etc.)	509
Automobile Accidents	566	Juvenile Complaints	827
Automobiles Stolen	118	Juvenile Cases, Court	49
Bicycles Registered	154	Juvenile Cases Handled Within Department	107
Buildings Broken Into	229	Larceny Complaints	572
Buildings Found Open (Door Check)	317	Licenses Suspended and Revoked	91
Cases at Superior Court	39	Lost and Found Articles Reported	120
Cases at District Court	756	Malicious Damage Cases Investigated	636
Complaints Received	9976	Missing Person Reported	80
Complaints Needing Investigation	5379	Prowlers Reported	113
Disturbances Reported	1171	Robberies (Armed)	5
Domestic Problems Reported	453	Robberies (Un-armed)	3
Emergency Trips Made by Cruisers	280	Sex Offenses Reported	119
Fatal Automobile Accidents	4	Sudden Deaths	15
Firearm Dealers Permits Issued	5	Suicides (Including Attempts)	7
Firearm Identification Cards Issued	219	Summonses Delivered	662
Fires Responded To	123		

MOTOR VEHICLE VIOLATIONS

Allowing Improper Person to Operate	4	No Signal Lights	1
Attaching Illegal Plates	5	No Tail Lights	4
Endangering (Recklessly)	19	Not Keeping to the Right of the Road	11
Excessive Smoke from Exhaust	1	Obstructing Passing Motor Vehicle	1
Failure to Return Leased Motor Vehicle	1	Operating After Revocation of Registration	1
Failing to Slow Down at Intersection	1	Oper. Under the Infl. of Intox. Liquor	16
Failure to Use Care in Stopping & Turn.	2	Over-load	1
Learner's Permit Violation	3	Permit. Inter. of Oper. of Motor Vehicle	1
Leaving Scene after Causing Per. Injury	3	Racing	2
Leaving Scene After Causing Prop. Damage	4	Red Light Violation	33
License Not Accessible	10	Registration Not Accessible	25
Operating Without a License	21	School Bus Violation	5
Operating After Suspension of License	7	Speeding	412
Operating in Violation of Restrict. on Lic.	8	Stop Sign Violation	15
Muffler Defective (noisy)	13	Unauthorized Use of Blue Light	1
No Front Plate	1	Un-Registered Motor Vehicle	12
Not Displaying Inspection Sticker	15	Un-Insured Motor Vehicle	12
No Rear Plate	1	Using Motor Vehicle Without Authority	22
No Rear Plate Light	5	Fines Assessed by Court	\$6,870.00

DISPOSITION OF CITATIONS ISSUED 1969

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>WARNINGS</u>	<u>COMPLAINTS</u>	<u>ARREST</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
JANUARY	2	13	0	15
FEBRUARY	2	9	2	13
MARCH	2	6	1	9
APRIL	45	60	5	110
MAY	45	92	3	140
JUNE	6	18	2	26
JULY	3	17	3	23
AUGUST	1	11	3	15
SEPTEMBER	72	59	0	131
OCTOBER	13	18	2	33
NOVEMBER	4	15	0	19
DECEMBER	1	18	1	20
TOTALS	<u>196</u>	<u>336</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>554</u>

Some of the Highlights of 1969 Worthy of Note:

1. During the year we have sent three officers to the Police Academy at Lowell State College; Bob LaRivee in April and Mickey McKenna and Joe Morgan in October. (Congrats!!!)
2. We had two new men appointed to the Department and one appointed to replace an officer who resigned. Bill Gable was appointed in June and will get into the Academy this April. (Welcome to the TEAM, Bill!)
3. It was with a deep sense of regret that I had to see Vern Randell resign on May 8th. Vern was a good cop! (And it is too bad that "Good Cops" can't get "Good Pay".)
4. Detective Harvey attended the F.B.I. Firearms Instructor School at Camp Curtis Guild in Wakefield in October.
5. Two new Sergeants were made this year. Sergeant Palmer and Sergeant Peterson. (Congrats!!!)
6. Lieutenant Imbimbo attended the Command Training Institute at Babson Institute of Business Administration at Wellesley for a month; graduating on April 18th with a very high mark in all subjects. (Nice work, John!)
7. May 22nd the Town Hall was "Broken into and Safes Broken Open". You can be sure we solved this one! (To save face at least) (The results of this investigation makes good reading....but I can't make it public information).
8. Charles L. Ellsworth, a member of the Wilmington Police Department for 15 years, received his Associate of Science Degree in Law Enforcement from Northeastern University.
9. Last to be mentioned,...but my proudest accomplishment of the year....was the presentation of nice gold badges to Wilmington's Top Clergymen making them "Honorary Chaplains". The recipients: 1. Father Croke, St. Thomas Church; 2. The Reverend Tadgell, Congregational Church; 3. The Reverend Miller, Methodist Church; 4. The Reverend Smith, Baptist Church; 5. Father Leahy, St. Dorothy's Church. Nice to have you with us!!!

Before I conclude this report, I would like to take this opportunity to remind all residents of the Town, especially those who have just moved into Wilmington, that our phone number is 658-3331 and 658-3332; and that we have a Woburn number into this department 935-5966.

And once again let me point out to you that WE HAVE CRUISERS OUT ON THE ROAD EVERY MINUTE OF THE DAY....AND THAT THESE CARS ARE EVERYWHERE!

DON'T SELL US SHORT BY YOU MAKING THE DECISION "I DIDN'T CALL BECAUSE I FIGURED THAT BY THE TIME THE POLICE GOT HERE IT WOULD BE TOO LATE". APPRECIATE THAT AT THAT VERY MOMENT A CRUISER MIGHT JUST BE IN YOUR AREA! OR JUST DOWN THE STREET FROM YOU.

So, please put that call in! DIAL 658-3331

And now comes the time for me to express my most sincere thanks to all those who help me in any way to "put the show on the road".

All the Town Departments who do so much for us during the year....to all members of the Police Department,.... the Regulars,....the Specials,....the Traffic Supervisors,....the K-9 Officers,....the Clerk of the Department; and all others who make this Department a department to be proud of; to the Selectmen and the Town Manager for their spirit of cooperation-....and to the residents who in many ways help us throughout the year; To each of you, My Most Sincere Thanks!!! And I trust I can count on your continued cooperation so that 1970 will be a good year for the Wilmington Police Department.

## Fire Department

The manual force consists of the Chief, three Lieutenants, and twenty-two Privates. There is a call force of thirteen members. The department responded to a total of one thousand one hundred and one (1101) calls.

Ambulance Calls	439	Service Calls	150
Auto and Trucks	64	False Alarms	58
Buildings	51	Out of Town	11
Brush and Grass	328		

Total value of property endangered was \$251,850.00  
Total property loss was \$ 59,933.48

Permits issued for blasting	21
Permits issued for storage of oil	78
Permits issued for storage of propane gas	10

Inspections were made of all schools, public buildings and all inflammables storage as required by law.

The Fire Prevention Bureau under the direction of Lieutenant Cushing made inspections of all business establishments in town. The Junior Fire Marshall Plan was conducted during the year in all 5th grades in the school system.

The Fire Alarm Division under the direction of Private Blaisdell made all necessary repairs to the fire alarm system, also made one hundred twenty-six change-overs for the Light and Telephone Companies, strung approximately four miles of wire. The following four new boxes were tied into the system: Library, Volkswagen, West School and the new school on Shawsheen Avenue.

## Recreation Commission

In compliance with the many requests by the residents of Wilmington, we have been able to realize additional programs such as; the organization of a girls' basketball league, a girls' softball league, a boys' softball league, and a youth flag football league.

Other new programs that we have assisted include girls' figure skating, youth hockey league, pony league, baseball, and Pop Warner football.

The newly installed lights at the Town Park made it possible for many of these programs to expand as well as being available to the Crusaders Drum and Bugle Corp., and a revitalized adult softball league.

We would like to thank the more than 100 volunteer workers who have served as instructors, advisors, and officials thereby making these programs possible.

Because of the many demands of program expansion and planning for new areas of development, it is imperative that a full time director be assigned as soon as possible.

# Building Inspector

Building Permits were issued as follows:

	1967		1968		1969	
	No.	VALUATION	No.	VALUATION	No.	VALUATION
Dwellings (single family)	76	\$1,155,000	131	\$2,010,500	66	\$1,075,000
Residential Garages	17	29,200	20	52,500	26	87,900
Alter. & Repairs (residential)	63	134,500	64	145,900	72	160,650
TOTAL		\$1,318,700		\$2,208,900		\$1,323,550
Industrial Buildings	6	\$2,490,000	12	\$6,517,000	14	\$4,387,790
Commercial Buildings (stores)	1	52,000	3	128,000	1	60,000
Office Buildings	1	15,000				
Swimming Pools and Signs	34	110,100	43	106,650	31	59,325
Alter. & Additions (non-residential)	19	936,800	6	336,000	13	739,000
Service Stations	1	60,000				
TOTAL		\$3,663,900		\$7,087,650		\$5,246,115
Schools	TOTAL 1	\$ 545,000	2	\$1,300,000		
		<u>\$5,527,600</u>		<u>\$10,596,550</u>		<u>\$6,569,665</u>
Renewals	42		27		21	
Demolitions	15		14		15	
Fire Damage & Repairs	4		5		1	
Foundations			4		8	
TOTAL	<u>280</u>		<u>331</u>		<u>268</u>	

## REPORT OF FEES RECEIVED AND TURNED OVER TO THE TREASURER:

Building Permits	280	\$ 3,548.00	331	\$10,399.00	268	\$ 6,979.79
Gas Fitting Permits	104	551.00	116	808.50	102	770.50
Wiring Permits	302	1,576.75	282	2,255.75	309	2,633.50
TOTAL	<u>686</u>	<u>\$ 5,675.75</u>	<u>729</u>	<u>\$13,463.25</u>	<u>679</u>	<u>\$10,383.79</u>

The number of building permits issued in 1969 is considerably less than in 1968. There are two reasons to account for this: (1) The high interest rate on mortgage money; (2) No new major subdivisions were started in 1969.

Alterations and repairs remain high. Many homeowners are remodeling and adding to existing homes instead of buying new houses.

Violations of the Zoning By-Law are being abated as quickly as possible. Court action has been taken in some of the more difficult cases.

My thanks to the Boards, Commissions and departments who have assisted me throughout 1969.

# Town Engineer

The requests for engineering services continued to increase during the year, as they have since 1955 when the first Town Engineer was appointed. In the past fourteen years almost everything about Wilmington has doubled including population, school enrollment and personnel required to operate most all other town departments except the engineering department. The result of an amendment to the budget of the engineering department made from the floor of the annual Town Meeting to reduce the appropriation for personal services caused the reduction of one position to that of a two man department, the same as was authorized by the 1955 Town Meeting. As a result of the reduction of authorized personnel the backlog of requests for engineering services was increased.

Field surveys, calculations, plans and cost estimates were prepared for many projects, both approved and proposed including: layout of Ferguson Road, Elwood Road, Jere Road, Sudbury Avenue, Rhodes Street, Bond Street and Floradale Avenue for construction under the Betterment Act; layout of Adams Street, Clark Street and West Street for proposed alterations to an existing location, setting stone bounds and for proposed roadway and drainage reconstruction and sidewalk construction; layout of Middlesex Avenue, Shawsheen Avenue and Ballardvale Street for drainage and roadway reconstruction; layout of Andover Street for proposed alterations and Chapter 90 construction; and numerous surveys to help correct drainage problems.

The Engineering Department assisted the Middlesex County Engineering Department personnel performing field surveys of the Lowell Street-Woburn Street intersection, the Wilmington-Burlington Town Line and the resurvey of Middlesex Avenue; the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Works Engineering personnel with survey data of the Main Street, Brand Avenue, Bridge Lane, Shawsheen Avenue area for the proposed new Route 129 bridge over the B & M Railroad; layout for the reconstruction of the Nichols Street Bridge, proposed alterations to Lowell Street and Woburn Street and with preliminary proposals for the Main Street By-pass.

The Engineering Department assisted the Board of Assessors with several street renumbering projects, preparation of engineering data for assessing purposes and the annual revisions to the property maps. Also engineering services were provided to the Highway Department, Conservation Commission, Building Inspector, Board of Health and Water Department as requested.

The Town Engineer met with the Planning Board at all of its regular and special meetings as an engineering advisor and acts as its agent in the inspection of construction of streets, utilities and storm drainage in all approved subdivisions. During the year, construction continued on Allen Park, Barrows Park, Benson Park, Hathaway Acres, Route 93 Northern Industrial Park, Wildwood Estates and Wilmington Industrial Park and work was started on Jackson Park. Progress was made in an attempt to clean up some old incomplete subdivisions and this will be continued next year.

Many study plans were prepared from property maps and aerial photo maps for proposed highway relocations, proposed school sites and conservation areas, proposed zoning changes and many other proposed project areas.

# Highway Department

I hereby submit my Annual Report of the activities of the Wilmington Highway Department for the year 1969.

All the regular highway maintenance work was carried out during the year such as sweeping streets, patching streets, erection of street signs, cleaning catch basins, scraping back roads, etc.. Our regular routine work has steadily increased due to the many new homes and developments being built throughout the town. Many of the requests could be dealt with when received, but the majority were drainage problems and due to lack of funds, had to remain on our list of drainage problems. Many of these drainage problems have been temporarily alleviated manually, but each time it rains or we have a snow storm, the situation becomes the same.

Sidewalk Program: Due to the heavy work load of the Engineering Department, the engineering on the sidewalks was not completed until November 10th of 1969, so consequently we were not able to construct any sidewalks during 1969.

Chapter 81 Maintenance: About 12 miles of streets were resurfaced all or in part. Streets included were: Dell Drive, Patricia Circle, Chestnut Street, Glen Road, Woburn Street, High Street Park Street, Pershing Street, Wilson Street, Central Street, Parker Street, Cross Street, Butters Row, Beech Street, Forest Street, Aldrich Road, Hopkins Street, Dorchester Street, Burt Road, and Brand Avenue.

Chapter 90 Maintenance: \$6,000 was spent for hot top on Shawsheen Avenue, from the cranberry bog to Manning Street, and from Nichols Street to Grace Drive.

Drainage: Extended culvert on Fairview Avenue. Replaced culvert on Cedar Crest Road. Replaced culvert on Shady Lane Drive. Replaced culvert on West Street. New drainage system installed on Middlesex Avenue, from Adams to Clark Street. New drainage system installed on Middlesex Avenue near Salem Street.

Clean-up, Pickup Campaign: We received over 700 calls for pickup. The loader had to be used for many of the calls as they were either too heavy or too large for the men to pick up and load on the trucks.

Reconstructed Ballardvale Street for a distance of 4,400 feet, through a gift of \$25,000 from Gillette Co.

Cut trees on West Street between Lowell Street and Suncrest Avenue.

Chapter 616 Bond: Reconstructed Shawsheen Avenue from Hopkins Street to Nichols Street, a distance of about 1,000 feet.

Work Performed for Other Departments: Engineering Department: Installed street bounds.

Cemetery Department: Hauled loam and fill for the addition of the Cemetery.

Tree Department: Loader and truck helped Tree Department remove some big trees.

Snow and ice removal still remains a major and very expensive problem. Last winter was one of the roughest, severest and expensive winters on record in the Town. More money than ever before was spent for salt and sand. Not only was the snow removal a large problem in itself, the melting caused many major water problems on Clark Street, Federal Street, Chestnut Street, with Wildwood Street having to be closed off to the public. Due to the threat of heavy flooding, the Highway Department bought and kept on hand a supply of sand bags to be used for any such emergencies.

Equipment: My mechanic, foreman and I have checked over the equipment and sincerely conclude we must trade the sweeper, 2 pick-up trucks, the catch basin truck and one 3 1/2 ton dump truck.

The Highway Department now has a full time welder who does all the necessary welding for all town departments. This has proven to be a great saving to the department in both time and money.

Jesse Griffin, after 20 years service as head mechanic for the Highway Department, retired in October, 1969. Ralph Grassia the assistant mechanic was appointed to fill this position.

In concluding this report, I would like to thank all Town departments for the cooperation extended this department in 1969, especially their cooperation during the heavy snow storms this past winter. To the Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen for their support throughout the year. To the men of the Highway Department for their every effort to the accomplishments of the Highway Department in 1969, my sincere thanks and appreciation.

## Public Buildings Dept.

I respectfully submit my sixth annual report on behalf of the Public Buildings Department.

The department assumed the maintenance of the new Memorial Library on May 10, 1969. One new custodian was assigned to the building. Planting of shrubs was done by the grounds section, and in the Spring trees will be added to the planting.

The new Shawsheen School is well under construction and should be fully completed by the end of April 1970. This building will require three new custodians to maintain it. Also a new groundskeeper will be needed. Since the last man was added, the department has an additional sixty acres to maintain.

Work on the Highway addition was delayed by excessive repairs and vandalism during the year. All block work and steel work was completed, but the snow and ice delayed the roofing of the building. As soon as a warm spell occurs, the roof will be finished.

Throughout the year the department has carried on the continuous work of cleaning, painting and repairing the plant facilities of the various Town-owned buildings. All boilers and burners were overhauled and inspected as per regulations.

The department is now remodeling the old Library for offices for the Board of Health and Building Inspector due to the high price submitted by outside contractors. Work on this will be completed in February 1970.

A fire alarm system was installed in the old West School for the protection of the children and building. Equipment was bought to install a fire alarm system in the Highway Building to protect the heavy investment in equipment and buildings.

In conclusion, on behalf of the department, I would like to thank the various employees and Town Officials for the cooperation extended in the year 1969.

# Board of Health

## Board of Health

Mr. James Durkee, Chairman  
Mrs. Marion Boylen  
Mr. Joseph Paglia

## Personnel

Ernest F. Romano, M.S.P.H., R.S. Director  
Anne Butters, R.N., Public Health Nurse  
Mrs. Eleanor Hovey, Dental Hygienist  
Abbie McQuaid, R.N., Public Health Nurse  
Gerald Fagan, M.D., Public Health Physician  
Simon Cutter, Legal Consultant  
William Harrison, Plumbing Inspector  
Ernest F. Romano, Slaughtering Inspector  
Joseph Balestrieri, Inspector of Animals  
Harvey Skolnick, D.V.M.

There were no changes in personnel during 1969. Mr. James Durkee chaired the Board for the third consecutive year.

During 1969, environmental health became the focal point of attention throughout the country, with particular emphasis on air and water pollution. The Wilmington Board of Health devoted a great deal of time to these problems. They met with Town and State Officials, together with citizen groups, and representatives of local industries, in an attempt to effect corrective action.

A Glaucoma Eye Screening Clinic and a Diabetes Detection Clinic was held in Wilmington for the first time in 1969 for adults. The attendance was overwhelming.

The Board promulgated new regulations dealing with sewage disposal.

The Board was forced to disassemble its laboratory due to a space need by the landlord. It is hoped that the laboratory will be relocated in the near future.

The mumps vaccine, which was licensed in 1968, was made available to the entire school population during the year.

## A. COMMUNICABLE DISEASE CONTROL

### 1. Monthly Immunization Clinic

The afternoon session continued to be poorly attended, and so will probably be discontinued in 1970.

	1968	1969
Attendance	508	469

### 2. Anti-Rabies Clinic

A dog immunization clinic was held on May 17. A State law was enacted requiring all dogs over six months of age be immunized against rabies.

Dogs Immunized	609	615
Fees Collected		\$766.75

### 3. Smallpox Clinic

Attendance	77	56
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### 4. Tine Test Clinic

Children Tested		716
Negative to Tuberculosis		716

5.	<u>Glaucoma Eye Screening Clinic</u>	Attendance	307
		Confirmed Glaucoma	4
		Referred for Other Eye Conditions	27
		Still Under Study	9
6.	<u>Diabetes Detection Clinic</u>	Attendance	305
		Confirmed Diabetics	4
		Referred for Study	14
7.	<u>Mumps Clinic</u>		
	The mumps vaccine was made available to the entire school population.		
		Vaccinations Given	1,468
8.	<u>Tuberculosis Control</u>	Patients Hospitalized as of 12/31/69	1
		Deaths Reported	1
		Home Visits	108
		Hospital Visits	9
		Hospital Costs to Town	\$481.45
9.	<u>Project Headstart</u>		
	The Board for the fifth year offered their services to Project Headstart. Dental facilities and immunizations were made available to the children in the program.		

B. PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

1.	<u>Premature Births</u>	Number Reported	16
		Home Visits	25
		Deaths	1
		Hospital Costs to Town Required by Law	0
2.	<u>Day Care Centers</u>	Number Licensed	3
		Number of Visits	25
3.	<u>Morbidity Service</u>	Nursing Visits	608
		Fees Collected	\$305.00
4.	<u>General Health Visits</u>		265
5.	<u>Newborn Infants</u>	Home Visits	188

C. DENTAL REPORT

Children Serviced in School	1,057
Home Visits by Public Health Nurses	73

D. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

1.	<u>Plumbing</u>	Permits Issued	1968 152	157
		Fees Collected	\$1,504.00	\$1,360.00
2.	<u>Licenses and Permits</u>	Sewerage		135
		Food		81
		Milk (vehicle)		20
		Milk (store)		62
		Recreational Camps		2
		Day Care Centers		3
		Piggeries		6
		Funeral Director's		3
		Ice Cream Manufacturing (retail)		1
		Refuse Transportation		23
		Stable		12
		Installer's		14
		Fees Totaled		\$1,917.35

D. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH (continued)

3. Sewage Disposal Sanitation

A total of 135 permits were issued as follows in 1969:

Old Dwellings	46
New Dwellings	96
Commercial	6
Industrial	8

Inspections and Investigations	1968	
	577	593

4. Milk Sanitation

Dairy Licenses	20
Stores Licensed to Sell Milk	62
Samples Analyzed	19

5. Refuse Disposal

The cost of the operation of the dump remained at \$24,000. There was no increase over the past two years.

The contract provided for a charge to industry, for the use of the dump, to offset rising costs and to improve its operation.

The Board continued to recommend that alternate dump sites be found for future planning.

6. Garbage Disposal

The Board successfully negotiated a three year contract for the collection of garbage with the Mastromarino Brothers. The contract provided as follows:

May 1, 1969 - April 30, 1970	\$22,500.00
May 1, 1970 - April 30, 1971	24,500.00
May 1, 1971 - April 30, 1972	26,500.00

7. Food Sanitation

Food Permits Issued	81
Inspections	75

8. Subdivisions

The Board acted on two subdivisions during the year, consisting of a total of thirty-three lots.

The Board denied approval of twenty-two of these lots. Eleven were approved for the subsurface disposal of sewage.

9. Biologic Stations

The Board of Health maintains three biologic sub-stations for the convenience of the local physicians. These are the Wilmington Plaza Drug Store, the North Wilmington Pharmacy, and the Silver Lake Pharmacy.

Vaccines are supplied to these stations for distribution to the physicians by the Board of Health. These are made available free of charge through the State Department of Public Health.

10. Legal Matters

Mr. Simon Cutter continued on during the year as the Board's legal consultant. Mr. Cutter represented the Board in the District Court involving all complaints initiated by the Board.

Alan Altman, Town Counsel, successfully represented the Board in a suit against them dealing with lots of land on Dell Drive. Mr. Altman also advises the Board on those matters where rulings of Town Counsel are required. He represents the Board in Superior Court and prepares contracts.

11. Complaints

The Board received a total of five hundred and sixty-seven (567) complaints during the year. These involve: garbage, rubbish, sewage disposal, odor, rodent, housing, insect, and other nuisance complaints.

D. ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH (continued)

The Board does not act on anonymous complaints. It is their policy, however, to investigate violations of regulations as expeditiously as possible and to extend every opportunity for compliance. Uncooperative violators are referred for legal action.

12. Water Supply  
A total of nine (9) water samples were analyzed upon request. The Board of Health's laboratory was disassembled in May and it then became necessary to refer requests for analysis to private laboratories.
13. Recreation Area Sanitation  
In May 1969, the State Department of Public Health adopted minimum standards for bathing beaches. This provides for the licensing of accredited bathing beaches by the local Boards of Health. During the year, twelve bathing beach samples were submitted for analysis. All complied with standards.

Recreation Areas Licensed2
14. Slaughtering Inspector  
Mr. Ernest Romano was reappointed as Inspector of Slaughtering. No slaughtering took place during the year.
15. Inspector of Animals

Animals Quarantined for Bites78  
Animals Released from Quarantine78  
Animals Disposed of215  
Animals Submitted to Laboratory for Examination3  
Animals Showing Signs of Rabies0  
Premises Keeping Domestic Animals Inspected34
16. Vaccination Certification  
The Board certified eighty-five (85) health certificates for international travel. Travelers are also advised, upon request, requirements for foreign visits.

In conclusion, the Board of Health and its personnel wish to express their gratitude to the many individuals of the Town for their aid and cooperation.

The Board is especially indebted to the School Nurses, St. Thomas Church, and to all those persons who assisted them at the Glaucoma and Diabetes Clinics, and at the monthly Immunization Clinics.

Dog Officer

Dogs Licensed .....	1565
Dogs Confined .....	164
Complaints Covered.....	1994
Court Complaints.....	175
Court Fines paid.....	\$84.00
Dogs Disposed Of.....	141
Dogs Killed By Cars.....	79
Resident Calls for Licenses.....	579
Kennels - \$50.00.....	2
25.00.....	2
10.00.....	1

# Conservation Commission

During the sixth year of its existence, the Conservation Commission has continued to expand its role in preserving and improving the natural environment of the Town. Following is a summary of some of the major activities of this commission.

## Public Education:

1. Mailed approximately 4,000 detailed questionnaires to citizens in Town to guide commission activities in continuing conservation programs. An encouraging response was tabulated for statistical analysis on a digital computer.
2. Purchased two dozen books on conservation subjects for the Wilmington Memorial Library.
3. Continued an Arbor Day program at the Wildwood, Buzzell, and Boutwell Schools consisting of the planting of several species of trees with student participation.
4. Purchased and installed signs marking fishermen's access routes, indicating land managed by the Conservation Commission, and the first sign for the Town Forest and Park.
5. Sponsored three boys at the Massachusetts Junior Conservation Camp.
6. Sponsored a series of five lectures which were given at the Woburn Street School by the Audubon Society on the ecology of wild life and featured three live animals.
7. A program of informing the public about conservation affairs was implemented.

## Environmental Protection:

1. Supported investigations of Hatch Act Hearings by submitting written reports on findings.
2. Acquired soil survey aerial photographs and maps from the Soil Conservation Service and are preparing overlay maps for correlation with our master set of aerial maps and our assessor's maps.
3. Reviewed a draft on the Open Space Plan at the request of the Wilmington Planning Board, responding with a written evaluation and critique.
4. Responded to all citizen complaints on possible Hatch Act violations and investigated.
5. Instituted formal complaints of air pollution to State and Town authorities.

## Land Acquisition and Improvement:

1. Received reimbursement for lands purchased under application for "Self Help" funds in 1968.
2. Purchased 12 acres of land for a passive recreation area and applied for "Self Help" funds to help reduce the net cost to the taxpayer.
3. Accepted a gift of land located on the Shawsheen River.
4. Reviewed the availability of tax title lands for possibility of transfer to Conservation Commission.

Realizing the impact on the taxpayer in its continuing program of land acquisition and improvement, the Commission will take every advantage of "Self Help" funds available from Federal and State sources.

# Permanent Building Committee

In accordance with respective votes of Town Meetings, the Permanent Building Committee pursued its functions in connection with constructing and equipping a public library and the Shawsheen Elementary School.

A preliminary land acquisition and site layout were undertaken to determine the feasibility of a High School addition and the development of additional athletic and parking facilities for same.

The Architect and Soil Engineer's combined report was accepted by the committee, and copies were submitted to the School Committee with the recommendation that a revised layout of parcels of land under consideration be acquired.

Time did not permit the preparation of documents for the Annual Town Meeting, thus the committee will respectfully request a Special Town Meeting as soon as practical for the purpose of requesting financing for the proposed projects.

The Committee wishes to thank all other Town Committees, Departments and personnel for their cooperation.

# By-law Study Committee

Following a vote at the 1969 Annual Town Meeting, the Town By-Law Study Committee was appointed by the Selectmen for the purpose of conducting a study of "The By-Laws of the Inhabitants of Wilmington".

The first meeting was held in April with the Board of Selectmen and Town Manager present to provide direction and guidance. The committee has met regularly since then, on the first and third Thursday of each month.

We proceeded to familiarize ourselves with Wilmington's By-Laws, and compare them with other towns; such as, Andover, Reading, Wakefield, Sudbury, Ipswich, Holden, Amherst and Winchester.

In September, a memo was sent to all Town Officials, Boards, Committees and Departments requesting any suggestions they might have to update or revise the Town's By-Laws. The replies were duly considered and evaluated.

In November, interviews with individual town officials began, and numerous recommendations were made.

The committee is continuing this procedure with the expectations of being granted an extension of time by the Town Meeting to complete the assigned study.

# Jury List

(\* Indicates Married Woman)  
(Revised - August 1, 1969)

NAME	RESIDENCE	OCCUPATION
*Allard, Doris	17 Cedar Crest Road	Housewife
Allen, Frankline E.	86 Burlington Avenue	Insurance Underwriter
*Anderson, Faye J.	156 Shawsheen Avenue	Housewife
Anderson, George	1A Nickerson Avenue	Fork Lift Operator
Atamian, Harry N.	14 Hathaway Road	Designer
Aylsworth, Willet G.	19 Pinewood Road	Project Tech.
Babine, Robert M.	406 Chestnut Street	Carpenter & Painter
Barrett, Eric P.	44 Boutwell Street	Lathe Hand
Barrows, Lloyd E.	106 Lake Street	Quality Control Foreman
Beals, Robert C.	14 Wicks Circle	Eng. Aide
*Beaton, Irene C.	16 King Street	Housewife
Bicknell, Douglas P.	22 Belmont Avenue	Elevator Constructor
*Billings, Fay E.	21 Strout Avenue	Housewife
Boylen, George W.	22 Williams Avenue	Retired
Bradford, Milton L. Jr.	12 Dorothy Avenue	Ins. Claims Examiner
Bradley, Henry E. Jr.	2 North Street	Mechanic
Bradley, William A.	1 Frederick Drive	Computer Programmer
*Braman, Marion V.	4 Fairmeadow Road	Systems Clerk
*Bright, Helen G.	4 Lockwood Road	Cafeteria Worker
*Browne, Helen B.	42 Middlesex Avenue	Clerk
Browne, John P.	42 Middlesex Avenue	Salesman
Buck, Mildred H.	295 Woburn Street	Ass't. to Sales Manager
Buckle, Thomas G.	80 Church Street	Salesman
Buczynski, Michael A.	14 Marcia Road	Research Eng.
Bull, Jane A.	38 Burlington Avenue	Cafeteria Worker
*Burke, Dorothy A.	10 Westdale Avenue	Tel. Operator
Burke, John J.	30 Sheridan Road	Bus Driver
*Butterworth, Dorothy J.	5 Grace Drive	Housewife
Callahan, Robert J.	Boutwell Street	Accountant
Campbell, Allan D.	227 Burlington Avenue	Steelworker
Campbell, John R.	29 Hobson Avenue	Trace Clerk
Carter, John E.	15 Railroad Avenue	Display Man
Cassidy, Stanley B. Jr.	16 Burt Road	Meat Cutter
*Chambers, Helen	9 South Street	Housewife
*Christopher, Mary C.	8 Pinewood Road	Housewife
Churchill, Donald B.	9 Lawrence Court	Electronic Technician
*Condrey, Mary Gertrude	6 Powder House Circle	At Home
Coolidge, Donald J.	117 Lake Street	Forms Control Manager
Connors, Victor J.	16 Nickerson Avenue	Tool Grinder
Corcoran, Edmund J. Jr.	524 Woburn Street	Local Testman N.E.T. & T.
Curtis, Edward J.	156 Andover Street	Lecture Assistant
Danico, George W.	7 Wilson Street	Truck Driver
*Dayton, Barbara M.	214 Burlington Avenue	Housewife
Dayton, William P.	214 Burlington Avenue	Design Engineer
DelRossi, Nicholas J.	24 Belmont Avenue	Television Repairman
DiBella, Charles E.	23 High Street	Management Member Adm.

JURY LIST: (continued)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RESIDENCE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
Dindo, Louis A.	19 Roberts Road	Senior Mech. Engineer
*Durkee, Alice E.	500 Salem Street	Finisher
*Elfman, Irene B.	66 Lawrence Street	Self-Employed
Ferrera, Pasquale	10 Woodland Drive	Mech. Tech. Supervisor
Fielding, Herbert L.	48 Butters Row	Research & Development
*Filipowicz, Ruth I.	23 Oakridge Circle	Housewife
*Foberg, Dorothy V.	5 Strout Avenue	Ins. Acct. Supervisor
Forest, Raymond G.	27 Moore Street	Prod. Manager
*Forrest, Marion C.	4 Baland Road	Housewife
Foster, Lawrence O.	8 Marcia Road	Supervisor Metrology Lab.
Fugere, Noel O.	25 Grace Drive	Sr. Systems Engineer
*Fuller, Margaret M.	87 Nichols Street	Office Manager
Garland, Ralph	2 Muse Avenue	Electrician Leader
Garnett, Walter A.	6 Laurel Avenue	Plan. & Sch. Supervisor
Gilbert, Charles N.	13 Church Street	Tool and Die Maker
Gouvea, John Jr.	33 Woburn Street	Chief Engineer
Graves, Louis C.	111 Butters Row	Salesman & Estimator
Haas, Henry J.	6 River Street	Assembler
Hadfield, John E.	1 Strout Avenue	Sr. Quality Assurance Eng.
Hale, Walter, Jr.	31 Glen Road	Precision Grinder
Hamilton, Elsie P.	10 Sprucewood Road	Acct. Rec. Bookkeeper
Hamilton, Frank A.	33 Lawrence Street	Structural Engineer
Hancox, Frederick	Kilmarnock Street	Metal Spinner Foreman
*Harding, Ruth M.	3 Marie Drive	Ass't. Librarian
Herman, Kurt F.	343 Salem Street	Eng. Cost Analyst
Hillier, Raymond F.	109 Glen Road	Lithograph Artist
Hillson, Arthur W.	5 Lloyd Road	Mill Man Woodworker
Holbrook, David A.	45 Church Street	Sr. Aerodynamics Engineer
Holloway, John E.	35 Oakdale Road	Credit Manager
Hooper, William G. Jr.	34 Marcia Road	Senior Engineer
*Huntley, Virginia E.	109 Burlington Avenue	N.E. Tel. & Tel.
Janes, John W.	3 Strout Avenue	Banker, Mgr. Systems
Jennings, Robert E.	4 Moore Street	Procedures Analyst
Jordan, Robert E.	18 Carter Lane	Adm. Ass't. to Plant Mgr.
Justice, George W.	55 Chestnut Street	Machine Repairman
Kalkanajian, John	1 Pilling Road	Designer
Kashian, George A.	11 Sheridan Road	Commercial Teller
*Keen, Irene M.	21 Westdale Avenue	Housewife
Kelley, Patrick D.	30 Shady Lane Drive	Claims Adjuster
Kent, Scott	6 Ledgewood Road	Tech-Talent
Keough, William	18 Marcus Road	Salesman
Kilroy, George L.	298 Salem Street	Grade A. Serviceman
*Kitchener, Ruth M.	116 Aldrich Road	Housewife
Lacey, Thomas A.	93A West Street	Self-Employed
*Laffin, Florence Anne	11 Veranda Avenue	Housewife
*LaValle, Anna P.	6 Oakdale Road	Cafeteria Worker
Lesnik, Martin I.	4 Lawrence Court	Electronics Engineer
*Lowe, Anna M.	585 Woburn Street	Housewife
Lowe, Edna Frances	23 Linda Road	Revenue Auditor
Lowell, William R.	4 Carolyn Road	Supr. Am. Tel. & Tel.
Luken, Francis B.	5 North Street	Ass't. Foreman
Lunetta, Joseph E.	2 Nunn Road	Artist Illustrator
*Lyons, Shirley M.	94 Andover Street	Housewife
Mathews, Robert J.	7 Redwood Terrace	Machinist Trainee
McCann, Charles E.	17 Jere Road	Welder
McCue, Francis P.	12 Lawrence Court	Planner & Estimator
McEvoy, Frederick	7 Kiernan Avenue	Gen. Mech. Supervisor
McLane, Charles	252 Middlesex Avenue	Receiver
Miller, Harold S.	25 King Street	Truck Driver-Mechanic

JURY LIST: (continued)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>RESIDENCE</u>	<u>OCCUPATION</u>
Montgomery, J. Leonard	184 Woburn Street	Staff Engineer
Morin, Armand E.	118 Butters Row	Test Group Leader
Morrice, Paul A.	109 Middlesex Avenue	Insurance Agent
Muise, John A.	99 West Street	Punch Press Set-Up
Murray, John W.	Laurel Avenue	General Foreman
Noel, Clarence G.	6 Glenview Road	Unemployed
Norton, Augustus T. Jr.	204 Wildwood Street	Eng. Aide
*O'Brien, Nora A.	39 Adams Street	Information Operator
O'Connor, Alfred T.	2 Canal Street	Insurance Agent
*O'Hara, Rita Ann	South Street	Inspector on Assembly
Okseniak, Nicholas	225 Burlington Avenue	Retired
Palmer, Ivan E.	29 Veranda Avenue	Pump Repairman
Pendergast, Thomas J.	17 Birchwood Road	Meat Handler
Piscatelli, Michael D.	4 Strout Avenue	Auto. Center Manager
*Ring, Audrey F.	277 Middlesex Avenue	Clerk
Rivers, Bernard A.	1 Lake Street	Data Control Clerk
Romanski, Edmund S.	4 Wedgewood Avenue	Engr. Technician
Russell, William H.	10 Wildwood Street	Ass't. to Dept. Manager
*Russo, Angela	3 Sprucewood Road	Matron, part-time
Russo, John M.	59 Middlesex Avenue	Welder
Sampson, Raymond Jr.	1 Fairmeadow Road	General Foreman
Sargent, Alan H.	41 Shady Lane Drive	Wholesale Milkman
Sargent, David J. Jr.	2 Marcus Road	Mechanical Engineer
Scruton, H. Kent	31 Moore Street	Ass't. to Dir. of Adm.
*Seitz, Eloise B.	711 Woburn Street	Secretary
Sharkey, Kenneth G.	18 Lawrence Street	Sr. Staff Accountant
*Sherrin, Evelyn M.	16 Gunderson Road	Housewife
Silva, Edward F.	65 West Street	Airlines
*Spiris, Cecily Denell	6 Truman Road	Housewife
Smith, Robert	6 State Street	Cash Register Repairman
Spring, Walker C.	21 Thurston Avenue	Insurance Underwriter
Taylor, Robert W.	195 Burlington Avenue	Truck Driver
Tenhuisen, Harold J.	54 Chestnut Street	Chief Accountant
Varley, Arthur E.	13 Shady Lane Drive	Buyer, Air. Engine Supplies
Walkling, Frederick A.	8 Moore Street	Mechanic
Ward, Kenneth E.	26 Miller Road	Tel. Equip. Installer
Washburn, Paul R.	20 Ballardvale Street	Ass't. Advt. Manager
Weed, John E.	22 Cunningham Street	Maintenance of Elec. Equip.
Whitaker, Thomas F.	157 Lake Street	Pipefitter
Whitney, Ronald E.	15 Thurston Avenue	Office Service Manager
Willis, John F.	10 Suncrest Avenue	Project Engineer
Willson, Richard	24 Thurston Avenue	Ass't. Claims Supervisor
*Woodbury, Lois C.	16 Roberts Road	Cashier
Woods, Joseph H. Jr.	191 Wildwood Street	Letter Carrier
Worth, Roger O.	25 Liberty Street	Inventory Clerk
Wright, Robert B.	7 Hathaway Road	Elec. Contractor
Young, Donald P.	8 State Street	Elec. Assembling
Zwahlen, Robert C.	13 Moore Street	Truck Driver
Zwicker, Ralph M. Jr.	4 David Road	Method Planner
Zwicker, Ronald E.	Kelley Road	Grinder

# Cemetery Department

## Burials in 1969:

Residents Died in Wilmington	11
Residents Died Elsewhere	53
Non-Residents	28
Babies	3
Transfer	1
	<u>96</u>

## Receipts:

Interments	\$4,385.00
Liners Sold	950.00
Foundations for Monuments	799.67
Setting Markers	45.00
Affidavits	8.00
	<u>6,187.67</u>
Refund on Liner	35.00
Total Receipts	\$6,152.67

## Reserve:

Sale of Lots	\$5,255.00
Refund on a Lot	<u>60.00</u>
Total Reserve	\$5,195.00

## Perpetual Care:

Total Trust Fund	\$ 300.00
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A few of the cross avenues in the Cemetery were eliminated and made over into lots for burials. These areas have given twenty-four lots at an income of about four thousand dollars at the present price. Some of the lots have already been sold.

Part of Section J was finished and seeded. This portion will give the department about eighteen six grave lots and seventy-two four grave lots. This area will be sold within a year or so. At the present cost they will net the Town about sixteen thousand dollars.

A thousand yards of loam was brought and hauled in from Sweetheart Plastics. A three and one half ton Ford Truck was purchased this year to replace a three quarter ton Chevrolet Truck. A new ten foot reversible plow was bought and installed on the new truck. A new soil shredder was purchased. A chain link fence was installed on the property line near Section C. It has been faced with a planting of shrubs and evergreens. The diamond at the Town Park was graded to a bare surface. Loam and sand was spread and rototilled; then rolled. The area was maintained daily thus developing a good sound playing field. A water line was installed at the park for drinking and watering the field. The parking area at the park was enlarged.

A hot top walk was put in at the west end of the Common. The flag pole rope is constantly being cut by pranksters. Cars are driven across the grass areas at night. It is impossible to keep the children from playing ball on the Common.

At this time I wish to extend sincere thanks to the various Town Officials and Departments for their assistance and cooperation during the year 1969.

# Tree Department

Our regular tree work of cutting, trimming and removing trees was carried on throughout the year. There were one hundred Norway maples set out in various sections of the Town. These were planted due to the request of the townspeople. Tree feeding on undeveloped trees was maintained to help push their growth. Tree cutting was done on West Street to widen and improve the road. Twelve large trees were removed. Also, about one hundred trees on Ballardvale Street were removed for the same purpose. Several of our roadside pines and maples were removed because they were decayed and could not be saved. All tree removal during the year was taken to the Town tree dump to be burned. Starting in April all trees throughout the Town are sprayed for control of the insects. We plowed snow for the Highway Department during snow storms. Assisted the Maintenance and Cemetery Departments when requested. Put the lights on the Christmas tree on the common.

## Elm Leaf Beetle and Dutch Elm Disease:

All Elm trees were sprayed with dormant oil in an effort to save the vastly vanishing Elms. Thirty-three samples were taken from various trees in the town and sent to Amherst State College to be tested for Dutch Elm. Forty-seven dutch and decayed Elms were removed. The Tree Department's stump cutter was used to remove seventy-five stumps.

## Moth Department:

Spraying was carried on beginning in April to help control the insect pest, such as tent caterpillars, gypsy moth, white pine weevil, European pine shoot moth, maple bladder gall, spruce gall Aphids and etc. This year we had a lot of trouble with Oak Skeletonizers, which occurred a great deal from the oak trees. We have no jurisdiction for spraying backyards, but do spray the roadside oak trees. Although these worms are unsightly, they are harmless.

## Poison Ivy:

Weed killer was used to spray areas where poison ivy was found. Also roadside brush and hazardous corner areas were sprayed to control brush growth.

## Mosquitoes:

1969 brought a new mosquito Larvaecide control. All trapped water and bog holes were sprayed with liquid Larvaecide. Mosquito Larvaecide is harmless to fish, animals and vegetation. This program seemed to be very effective and we plan to expand it in 1970.

Due to the enlarged number of new homes and developments and the restricted use of D.D.T., it was deemed necessary to bring into effect a more modern form of mosquito control for the Town. The purchase of a Fog Generator seemed to solve the problem and was found to be very effective, as the fog would drift into un-accessable areas and would allow us to cover more territory in a shorter time. This has to be carried on in the evening between eight and twelve o'clock when the mosquitoes are out.

In concluding this report, I would like to thank the Town Manager and the Board of Selectmen for their support throughout the year. On April 18, 1969, I was appointed Tree Warden, due to the death of Mr. John W. Babine.

# Redevelopment Authority

The Members of the Wilmington Redevelopment Authority send greetings to the citizens of the Town of Wilmington, and are proud to present the Annual Report of the Authority.

As was reported in the 1968 Annual Report, the Authority was requested by the Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee to study the feasibility of undertaking a land assembly project in the Eames Street Industrial Park as an alternative to the more costly development project.

This study was made during 1969 and shows that a land assembly project could be undertaken and would be of benefit to the Town. As a result of the study, the Authority has completed a redevelopment plan for a land assembly project only. The plan has been presented to the Planning Board for their study and action as required under the law. A finding by the Planning Board is expected early in 1970.

The Authority presented the proposed Redevelopment Plan to the Board of Selectmen in December, 1969. That Board has scheduled a Public Hearing as required by law, for January 8, 1970. The Authority is hopeful of approval by the Board of Selectmen. If approval is forthcoming, the Authority will present at the Annual Town Meeting, an article requesting funds to proceed with the project.

It is the fervent wish of the Authority that the project be approved and completed so that this very valuable industrial land, which now contributes next to nothing to the tax base of the Town, can be returned to the tax rolls and help ease the ever-increasing tax burden on the Real Property owners.

During this year, the Authority unhappily received the resignation of Mr. J. Robert Evans, the State-appointed member. Mr. Evans has moved to New Hampshire and can no longer be a member. The Authority thanks Mr. Evans for his hard work and wise counsel during his three years on the Authority.

At the time of the writing of this report, the Governor has not yet appointed a new State member.

As has been the practice in past years, the Authority again this year has sent copies of the minutes of its meetings to the Board of Selectmen, the Planning Board, and the Finance Committee. It is hoped that this practice has helped these boards to follow the progress of the Authority. In a continuing effort to help these boards and committees to be as fully informed as possible, the Authority will continue this practice during the next year.

The Wilmington Redevelopment Authority wishes to thank the Boards, Committees, and citizens of the Town, whose splendid cooperation has helped us in reaching the threshold of Project Execution for the Eames Street Industrial Park.

# Water & Sewer Department

## WATER SUPPLY:

	<u>1965</u>	<u>1966</u>	<u>1967</u>	<u>1968</u>	<u>1969</u>
Maximum Gallons Pumped per Day	4,088,000	3,973,400	4,348,500	3,853,200	5,117,000
Maximum Gallons Pumped per Week	23,010,300	25,085,300	23,520,700	19,938,400	27,125,000
Maximum Gallons Pumped per Month	92,685,500	104,655,200	98,027,200	83,369,800	95,320,000
Average Gallons Pumped per Day	2,570,952	2,592,550	2,714,234	2,348,000	2,530,300
Average Gallons Pumped per Month	78,427,300	78,856,000	82,575,000	71,419,125	76,963,675
Total Gallons Pumped per Year	938,397,500	946,281,000	990,909,900	857,029,500	923,564,100

## MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION:

New Services Installed	129	New Meters Installed	129
Total Active Services	4,199	New Hydrants Installed	6

## WATER MAIN EXTENSIONS:

	<u>6" Main</u>	<u>8" Main</u>	<u>10" Main</u>
<u>Under the Betterment Program</u>			
Royal Street		1087'	
<u>By the Department for Builders</u>			
Union Street	150'		
<u>By Developers and Builders</u>			
Barbo - Fordham Rd. to Park Street			720'
Jackson Brothers - Reed Street		1040'	
Jackson Brothers - Harold Avenue	1300'		
Newhouse Brothers - Winter Street	800'		
Total Extensions	2250'	2127'	720'

During a three day hot spell in June, a new record was established for the maximum number of gallons pumped in a day. Although the total pumping capacity was more than adequate to meet this peak demand, the high flow through the distribution systems scoured rust and sediment from the old, unlined cast-iron pipe lines resulting in dirty water in several sections of Town. To combat this problem, it will be necessary to clean the system by extensive periodic flushing and by cleaning the old unlined pipes with mechanical equipment, an expensive procedure. It is intended to carry out this program as soon as possible within the limits of available funds and personnel.

A gravel-packed well was constructed in the Salem Street wellfield, and engineering work continues on the design of a pumping station and 12-inch water main connecting the new station to the distribution system. It is expected that construction will start in the spring of 1970 and be completed by late fall.

An increase of 25% in the water rates for 1970 was announced in December. This step was necessary because of a large increase in the cost of borrowed money for the new Salem Street station and pipe line, for increased labor and material costs and for anticipated maintenance costs, including pipe line cleaning and painting of the Hillside Way standpipe.

Mr. Edmund H. Sargent, Superintendent of the Department, was retired in November having reached the mandatory retirement age. Mr. Sargent gave forty-one years of unstinted service to the Water Department. Mr. Kenneth Motschman, Assistant Superintendent and Water Department employee for twenty-four years, was appointed to succeed Mr. Sargent.

Mr. William K. Irwin, Commissioner, resigned after five years of service, Mr. Robert G. Mullarky was appointed to succeed Mr. Irwin.

#### SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM:

There was one new sewer connection in 1969, bringing the total sewer services to 26.

The proposed development of a new Industrial Park in the south end of Town and the possibility of effluent from a chemical plant polluting drainage to the Aberjona River, resulted in Town Meeting action authorizing the expenditure of \$5000. for an engineering investigation relative to the installation of a trunk sewer from and in Eames Street to the MDC connection. The Town also authorized the borrowing of \$250,000. as its share of the project cost contingent upon Federal and State aid. Although the engineer's report was completed by the end of the year, the question of funding remains to be resolved.

## Veterans' Agent

The Wilmington Veterans' Agent respectfully submits his annual report for the year 1969. Paul A. Farrell, Veterans' Agent and Mrs. J. Meads, Secretary.

Veterans' Services is governed by the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 115, with strict compliance to this chapter, the rules and policies of which governs the disbursement of aid.

Benefits are for the needy veteran and his immediate family who have been subjected to unforeseen needs. Final approval of benefits comes from the Commissioner of Veterans' Services, Boston, Massachusetts.

The appropriation for 1969 was \$75,000 as voted at the annual Town Meeting.

Total expended for aid to Veterans and their families was \$67,563.29. Total reimbursements from settled assignments on accident cases amounted to \$1,827.50. Of this amount, because 50% is shared by the Town, the Town's share is \$913.75.

The total amount has been turned over to the Town Treasurer, and the Commonwealth has been notified so adjustment of any monies can be made before State reimbursements to the Town.

Case load varies from time to time. The work load of this department continues to increase with new and changing benefits and/or laws pertaining to Social Security and Education. Also, the returning Vietnam Veterans who are now being aided add to a great deal of paper work to the ever increasing work load.

Appropriation for 1969 .... \$75,000.00  
Total Benefits paid 1969 .... \$67,563.29

# Accepted Streets

Street	From	To	Miles	Feet	Date (s) Accepted
Adams Street	Middlesex Avenue	Parker Street		4600	3-02-08
Aldrich Road	Shawsheen Avenue	Billerica Line	1.2		11-06-94
Andover Street	Salem Street	Andover Line	2.3		11-06-94
Anthony Avenue	Salem Street	Catherine Avenue			10-03-66
Arlene Avenue	Salem Street	Dorothy Avenue			10-03-66
Auburn Avenue	Shawsheen Avenue			800	3-12-45
Ayotte Street	Westdale Avenue	Crest Avenue		240	3-10-47
Baker Street	Brand Avenue			700	3-12-45
Ballardvale Street	Salem Street	Andover Line	2.7		11-06-94
Bancroft Street	Liberty Street	B & M RR.		400	3-17-52
Beacon Street	Church Street	Belmont Avenue		1000	3-01-15
Beech Street	Burlington Avenue	Byron Street		1000	3-10-47
Beeching Avenue	Cunningham Street	Faulkner Avenue		450	3-14-59
Belmont Avenue	Columbia Street	State Street		1000	3-03-33
Birchwood Road	Judith Road	Short Street		1550	3-17-52 3-10-53
Boutwell Street	Aldrich Road	Burlington Avenue	0.8		11-06-94 3-12-60
Brand Avenue	Bridge Lane	Baker Street		2370	3-13-33 3-08-43
Brattle Street	Massachusetts Avenue	Garden Avenue		1100	3-12-45
Brentwood Avenue	Woodside Avenue	Woburn Street		907	6-21-38
Bridge Lane	Main Street	Shawsheen Avenue	0.3		11-06-94
Broad Street	Carmel Street	Both Ways		1377	3-13-54
Burlington Avenue	Main Street	Burlington Line	1.6		11-06-94
Burnap Street	Grove Avenue	Winchell Road		1378	3-12-45 3-10-53
Burt Road	Cedar Street	Fall Street		2500	3-12-45 3-11-46
Butters Row	Main Street	Chestnut Street	0.6		11-06-94
Catherine Avenue	Arlene Avenue	Dorothy Avenue			10-03-66
Canal Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Burt Road		1511	10-16-39 3-12-55
Carolyn Road	North Street	Linda Road		950	3-12-60
Carson Avenue	Hathaway Road	Both Ways		677	3-10-53 3-12-55
Carson Ave. Ext.	Marie Drive			300	3-11-61
Carter Lane	Shawsheen Avenue			1400	3-09-57
Cedar Street	Harris Street	Burt Road		600	3-12-45
Cedar Crest Road	Pinewood Road	Judith Road		1100	5-27-63
Central Street	Middlesex Avenue	Church Street		574	10-16-50
Chandler Road	Kelley Road	Adams Street		400	3-09-57
Chapman Avenue	Hathaway Road			322	3-05-51
Chase Road	Hathaway Road			297	3-10-53
Chestnut Street	Burlington Avenue	Woburn Line	2.1		11-06-94
Church Street	Main Street	Middlesex Avenue	0.8		11-06-94
Clark Street	Main Street	Church Street	0.8		11-06-94
Cochrane Road	Forest Street	Warren Road		800	3-10-47
Columbia Street	Church Street	Talbot Avenue	0.1		3-02-08 3-13-33
Concord Street	Federal Street	No. Reading Line	1.1		11-06-94
Congress Street	Forest Street	Burlington Line		965	10-16-39
Cook Avenue	Main Street	Kensington Avenue		1000	3-11-46
Coolidge Road	Hathaway Road			270	3-05-51
Corey Avenue	Grand Street	Canal Street		370	3-05-51
Cottage Street	Main Street			920	3-13-54
Crest Avenue	Ayotte Street			560	3-10-47
Cross Street	Main Street	Lowell Street		900	11-06-94
Cunningham Street	Salem Street	Beeching Avenue		2320	3-44 3-52 3-53

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Feet</u>	<u>Date (s) Accepted</u>
Cypress Street	Glen Road			260	3-05-51
Dadant Drive	North Street	North Street		1710.4	3-14-64
Davis Street	Main Street			500	3-17-52
Dayton Road	Hathaway Road			170	3-05-51
Dell Drive	Burlington Avenue			450	3-08-58
Dobson Street	Glen Road	Cary Street		1402	3-13-54
Dorchester Street	Billerica Line			1400	3-05-51
Dorothy Avenue	Barbara Avenue	Arlene Avenue		1556	3-12-60
Draper Drive	Gunderson Road			100	3-14-59
Druary Lane	School Street	Glen Road			3-09-63
Dublin Avenue	Main Street			500	3-05-51
Dunton Road	Nassau Avenue	Both Ways		638	3-10-56
Eames Street	Main Street	Woburn Street	0.7		11-06-94
Edwards Road	Forest Street	Baldwin Road		450	3-10-47
Elwood Road	Forest Street	Dead End		642	3-09-68
Emerson Street	Oakwood Road	Faulkner Avenue		600	3-05-51
Fairfield Avenue	Main Street			1300	3-11-46
Fairmeadow Road	Nichols Street	Nichols Street		2328	3-08-58
Fairview Avenue	State Street			650	3-13-33
Faneuil Drive	Massachusetts Avenue			1000	10-16-50
Faulkner Avenue	Glen Road	W. Jamaica Avenue		2671	3-13-44 3-10-53
Fay Street	Glen Road	Cary Street		700	6-21-38 3-12-45
Federal Street	Middlesex Avenue	Woburn Street	1.1		11-06-94
Ferguson Road	Shawsheen Avenue	Dead End		1072.61	3-11-67
Forest Street	Aldrich Road	Burlington Avenue	0.8		11-06-94
Frederick Drive	Salem Street				10-03-66
Glen Road	Main Street	Middlesex Avenue	1.3		11-06-94
Glendale Circle	Glen Road	Glen Road		1300	3-17-52
Glenview Road	Suncrest Avenue			360	3-14-59
Gowing Road	Park Street	Marcus Road		900	3-10-56
Grace Drive	Shawsheen Avenue				10-03-66
Grand Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Dunmore Road		850	3-17-52
Grant Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		780	3-08-43
Grove Avenue	Main Street	Lake Street	0.4		9-29-10
Gunderson Road	Hathaway Road	Both Ways		1081	3-14-59
	Marie Drive				10-03-66
Hamlin Lane	Lawrence Street			558	3-10-62
Hanson Road	Woodland Road	Dead End		840	3-15-69
Hardin Street	Aldrich Road	Lubbers Brook		250	3-05-51 2-11-61
Harnden Street	Main Street	Glen Road	0.1		3-04-95
Harris Street	Burlington Avenue	Cedar Street		700	3-12-45
Harvard Avenue	Main Street	River Street		430	3-05-51
Hathaway Road	Woburn Street	Gunderson Road		1858	3-51 3-53 3-59
Hawthorne Road	Woburn Street			230	3-10-56
High Street	Middlesex Avenue	Woburn Street	0.5		11-06-94
Hillside Way	Chestnut Street	Burlington Line	0.5		3-02-14
Hilltop Road	Suncrest Avenue			364	3-14-59
Hobson Avenue	Pine Avenue	150 ft. beyond Wiser Street		1520	3-45 3-51 3-52
Hopkins Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Billerica Line	0.5		11-06-94
Jaquith Road	Shawsheen Avenue			1250	3-08-48 3-49 3-51
Jere Road	Fairmeadow Road	Fairmeadow Road		1247	3-09-68
Jones Avenue	Glen Road			719	6-10-40
Judith Road	Birchwood Road	Cedar Crest Road		520	3-10-53
Kelley Road	Adams Street			923	3-09-57
Kendall Street	Aldrich Road	Blanchard Road		1300	3-12-45
Kiernan Avenue	Main Street			693	3-08-58
Kilmarnock Street	West Street	Reading Line	0.5		11-06-94
King Street	Glen Road	Broad Street		2400	6-10-40 3-12-45
Kirk Street	Main Street			572	3-05-51
Lake Street	Main Street	Shawsheen Avenue	1.0		11-06-94

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Feet</u>	<u>Date (s) Accepted</u>
Lang Street	Bancroft Street	B & M RR.		400	3-17-52
Laurel Avenue	Malloy Road	Parker Street		657	10-16-50
Lawrence Court	Lawrence Street			683	3-10-56
Lawrence Street	Glendale Circle	Shady Lane Drive		3773	3-10-56
Ledgewood Road	Suncrest Avenue			383	3-14-59
Liberty Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		740	3-08-43
Lincoln Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		720	3-08-43
Linda Road & Ext.	High Street			1940.5	10-16-50 3-14-64
Lloyd Road	Main Street			1050	3-05-51
Lockwood Road	Ballardvale Street			990	3-09-57
Longview Road	Middlesex Avenue			650	3-14-59
Loumac Road	Drury Lane	To End			3-09-63
Lowell Street	Main Street	Reading Line	1.9		11-06-94
Lowell St. Park	Station 7 - 50	Station 14-50			1908 - 1957
Mackey Road	Federal Street			250	3-08-43
Main Street	Tewksbury Line	Woburn Line	4.0		11-06-94
Marcus Road	Gowing Road	Gowing Road		2315	3-08-58
Marcia Road	North Street			1130	3-10-62
Marie Drive	Woburn Street	Thrush Road		1285	3-11-61
	Thrush Road	Gunderson Road			10-03-66
Marion Street	Burlington Avenue			(1739)	9-01-06 County
				( 900)	3-12-45
Marjorie Road	Main Street			1550	3-05-51
Massachusetts Avenue	Main Street	St. Paul Street		800	3-12-45
McDonald Road	Salem Street			1424	3-13-44
Meadow Lane	Suncrest Avenue			363	3-09-57
Melody Lane	Shawsheen Avenue				10-03-66
Middlesex Avenue	Main Street	Salem Street	2.3		11-06-94
Miles Street	Main Street	Hobson Avenue		400	3-12-45
Miller Road	Glen Road	Emerson Street		640	3-12-45
Moore Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Wedgewood Avenue		1528	3-11-67
Morse Avenue	Woburn Street			1361	10-16-39
Mystic Avenue	Middlesex Avenue			598	3-02-08
Nassau Avenue	Shawsheen Avenue	Decatur Street		2000	3-11-46
Nichols Street	Shawsheen Avenue	Shawsheen River	0.7		11-06-94
Nickerson Avenue	West Street			900	3-10-47
Norfolk Street	Carter Lane	Nassau Avenue		538	3-13-54
North Street	Middlesex Avenue	Dadant Drive		3533	3-12-45 3-13-54
Nunn Road	Kelley Road			213	3-13-65
Oak Street	Salem Street			350	3-19-51
Oakdale Road	Judith Road	Short Street		2280	10-16-50
Oakridge Circle	Gowing Road	Gowing Road		1730	3-08-58
Oakwood Road	Main Street	Fairfield Avenue		850	3-11-46
Olson Street	Church Street			132	3-09-57
Park Street	Woburn Street	No. Reading Line	0.9		11-06-94
Parker Street	Lowell Street	Blackstone Street	0.36		3-04-07 3-03-19
Patricia Circle	Dell Drive	Dell Drive		595	3-08-58
Pershing Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		720	3-08-43
Phillips Avenue	Wiser Street	Wild Avenue		1800	3-11-46 3-13-54
Pilling Road	Hathaway Road	Both Ways		930	3-14-59
Pine Avenue	Main Street	Hobson Avenue		400	3-12-45
Pineridge Road	North Street	Linda Road		900	3-12-60
Pineview Road	Lipp Street	Adelman Road		450	3-10-53
Pinewood Road	Birchwood Road	Shady Lane Drive		1332	3-13-54
Pleasant Road	Middlesex Avenue	Linda Road		750	3-10-62
Powder House Circle	Middlesex Avenue			730	3-13-54
Railroad Avenue	Clark Street	Stone Street	0.2		3-01-09
Ridge Road	Suncrest Avenue			365	3-10-56
River Street	Massachusetts Avenue	Harvard Avenue		440	3-10-62
Roberts Road	Burlington Avenue			1860	3-11-67
Rollins Road	Fenway Street	Marion Street		200	3-13-54

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Miles</u>	<u>Feet</u>	<u>Date (s) Accepted</u>
Roosevelt Road	Boutwell Street	Swain Road		2000	3-11-46
Royal Street	Salem Street			1040	3-05-51
Salem Street	Tewksbury Line	No. Reading Line	2.7		11-06-94 3-05-06
School Street	Middlesex Avenue	High School Lot		616	3-01-15
	Buzzell School	Dead End			3-09-63
Sewell Road	Hathaway Road			380	3-12-55
Shady Lane Drive	Middlesex Avenue	Lawrence Street		2676	3-08-58
Shawsheen Avenue	Main Street	Billerica Line	2.2		11-06-94
Sheridan Road	Hathaway Road			487	3-05-51
Silver Lake Avenue	Lake Street	Dexter Street		455	3-13-54
Sprucewood Road	Shady Lane Drive	Short Street		600	3-17-52
State Street	Belmont Avenue	Fairview Avenue		275	3-03-33
Strout Avenue	Lowell Street			686	3-17-55
Suncrest Avenue	West Street			1246	3-13-54
Swain Road	Forest Street	Burlington Avenue	0.4		3-20-22 10-16-29
Taft Road	Swain Road	Boutwell Street		1985.53	6-21-38
Taplin Avenue	Hobson Avenue	Lubbers Brook		900	3-11-46
Temple Street	Church Street			274	6-06-11
Thrush Road	Salem Street	Marie Drive		400	3-11-61
Thurston Avenue	Church Street		0.2		3-04-07
Truman Road	Hathaway Road			300	3-10-53
Upton Court	Andover Street		0.1		11-06-94
Veranda Avenue	Main Street	Lubbers Brook		1075	3-06-16
Virginia Road	No. Reading Line			1200	3-13-54
Walker Street	Main Street			423	3-08-58
Warren Road	Lake St., Tewks.			100	3-13-54
Washington Avenue	Clark Street	Chase Street	0.3		3-01-20
Webber Street	Burlington Avenue	Dead End		680	3-15-69
Wedgewood Avenue	Moore Street	Dead End		475	3-11-67
West Street	Woburn Street	Reading Line	1.7		11-06-94
Westdale Avenue	West Street	B & M RR.		1211	6-22-42
Wightman Road	Warren Road	Albert Street		230	3-13-54
Wild Avenue	Grove Avenue	B & M RR.	0.2		12-29-10
Wildwood Street	Middlesex Avenue	Woburn Street	1.1		11-06-94
Williams Avenue	Main Street			693	6-10-40
Wilson Street	Federal Street	B & M RR.		760	3-08-43
Wilton Drive	Shawsheen Avenue				10-03-66
Winchell Road	Grove Avenue	Burnap Street		200	3-12-45
Wing Road	Woburn Street			746	3-08-58
Wiser Street	Main Street	Taplin Avenue		900	10-16-50
Woburn Street	Andover Street	Woburn Line	4.2		11-06-94
Woodland Road	Lowell Street	Dead End		1170	3-15-69
Woodlawn Avenue	Border Avenue	Kensington Avenue		250	3-17-52

## Constable

I herewith submit my annual report as Constable of The Town of Wilmington, for the year ending 1969.

During the year 1969, I posted Notices and The Warrant for The Annual Town Meeting, in accordance with The By-Laws of The Town of Wilmington.

I also posted Notices and made Services for other departments and Officers of The Town of Wilmington.

# Board of Appeals

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #1-69</u> John Realty Tr. (KEV Elec. Corp., Agent)	For a variance to erect a sign at Fordham Road within the required front yard.	Granted
<u>Case #2-69</u> George DiFranco	For a variance to erect a dwelling at 26 Fairmeadow Road within the required front and side yards	Granted
<u>Case #3-69</u> Josephine Fortunata	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Church Street into two lots, Lot 1 having insufficient frontage and area and Lot 2 having insufficient depth and area and obtain building permits thereon.	Granted
<u>Case #4-69</u> Brewsters of Mass., Inc.	For a variance to erect a sign within the required front yard area at 800 Main Street	Granted
<u>Case #5-69</u> Anthony Paolini	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a lot on Jordan Street having insufficient frontage and depth.	Denied
<u>Case #6-69</u> Mary Deluca, Tr.	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a lot at 134 Ballardvale Street having insufficient frontage	Granted
<u>Case #7-69</u> Arthur E. O'Brien & William H. Irving, Jr.	For a variance to combine two lots on Burlington Avenue into a lot having insufficient frontage, depth and area and obtain a building permit thereon.	Granted
<u>Case #8-69</u> Roberta M. Snyder & Jennie J. Shea	For a variance to subdivide a parcel of land at the corner of North Street and Pineridge Road into two lots, one lot having insufficient area and obtain a building permit thereon.	Denied
<u>Case #9-69</u> Robert Belbin (Wm. R. & Chas. Ballou, Agents)	For a variance to build on a parcel of land on Andover Street having insufficient area	Granted
<u>Case #10-69</u> Dragon Cement Company	For a variance to erect a building on Eames Street above the height limits as specified by Zoning and Building By-Laws.	Granted

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #11-69</u> Vincent L. Orsillo	For a variance on Lots 7, 8, and 9 Nathan Road having sufficient frontage and area but insufficient depth as measured according to Section V-5 of the Zoning By-Law.	Granted
<u>Case #12-69</u> Caroline B. Antonowitch	For a variance to maintain a radio tower at 21 Burt Road and a variance for this tower to be above the height limit set by the Zoning By-Law	Denied
<u>Case #13-69</u> George Morey and John E. Deloury	On the appeal of George Morey and John E. Deloury by the order or decision of the Building Inspector, refusing to issue building permits on Lots 1 and 2 on Andover Street in accordance with Chapter 40A, Sections 13, 14, 16, and 17 of the General Laws.	Granted (with pro- visions)
<u>Case #14-69</u> Margaret E. and Silverius J. Blonigen	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a lot on Crescent Street closer to the front lot line than required by the Zoning By-Laws.	Granted
<u>Case #15-69</u> Carmelo Grimaldi	To divide a parcel of land on Laite Road into five (5) lots. Three (3) lots having insufficient depth and area and two (2) lots having insufficient frontage, depth and area.	Granted
<u>Case #16-69</u> Jean-Cor Const.	For a variance on three (3) lots on Benson Road. Lot 16 and 17 having insufficient depth as measured according to Section V-5 of the Zoning By-Law and Lot 13 having insufficient frontage according to the Zoning By-Law and obtain building permits thereon.	Granted
<u>Case #17-69</u> Gibbs Realty and Investment Corp.	For a variance to erect a canopy at 342 Main Street within the required front and rear yards and to install gasoline pumps in the required rear yard area and to remodel existing buildings.	Granted
<u>Case #18-69</u> Charles W. Ingalls (and others)	For a variance to operate a non-profit lodge on Salem Street for social use for members in an SRA District and obtain a building permit thereon.	Withdrawn
<u>Case #19-69</u> Lloyd C. Bender	For a variance to erect a sign at 380 Main Street within the front yard area and in a General Business District.	Granted
<u>Case #20-69</u> Salvatore DiTesso	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a lot on Aldrich Road having insufficient frontage, depth and area.	Denied
<u>Case #21-69</u> Stephen A. & Mary Jane Langone	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Dunton Road and Nassau Avenue into two lots having insufficient depth and area.	Withdrawn

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #22-69</u> Charles W. Ingalls (and others)	For a variance to operate a non-profit lodge on Salem Street for social use for members in an SRA District.	Granted
<u>Case #23-69</u> Wilmington Development Company	For a variance to erect a Test Tower at Rear 353 Middlesex Avenue above height limits.	Granted
<u>Case #24-69</u> Kathleen C. and Albert Blackburn, III	For a variance to erect an addition to a non-conforming dwelling.	Granted
<u>Case #25-69</u> Alfonsina DeLauri	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Houghton Street into two lots having insufficient depth and area.	Denied
<u>Case #26-69</u> Gerald J. and Carol Mottolo	For a variance to erect an addition on a lot having insufficient rear yard and obtain building permit thereon.	Granted
<u>Case #27-69</u> Harvy Skolnick	For a variance to erect signs at 279 Main Street	Granted
<u>Case #28-69</u> John F. McGrath	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Auburn Avenue into two lots, each having insufficient depth and area.	Granted
<u>Case #29-69</u> Stephen A. and Mary Jane Langone	For a variance to subdivide a parcel of land on Dunton Road and Nassau Avenue into two lots, having insufficient frontage, depth, and area.	Granted
<u>Case #30-69</u> Carlus and Christine Gum	For a variance to maintain a trailer at 154 Lake Street until a house is constructed.	Denied
<u>Case #31-69</u> Gladys & James Banda	For a variance to erect an addition within required front yard.	Granted
<u>Case #32-69</u> Josephine & Anthony Fortunata	For a variance to erect a dwelling within the required side yards and obtain building permit thereon.	Granted
<u>Case #33-69</u> Ermino & Angelina Covelle	For a variance to erect a garage at 885 Main Street within the required side yard and obtain a building permit thereon.	Denied
<u>Case #34-69</u> Daniel Ballou	For a variance to obtain a building permit on Lot A Park Street having insufficient depth in accordance with Section V-5 of the Zoning By-Law.	Granted
<u>Case #35-69</u> Thomas and Jean Ballarino	For a variance to erect an addition at 181 Wildwood St. within the required side yard.	Granted

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #36-69</u> Lucci's Realty Tr.	For a variance to erect a building for use as a direct consumer, commercial, service type dry-cleaning plant establishment at 211 Lowell Street	Granted
<u>Case #37-69</u> John F. & Jean Conner	For a variance to erect a garage at 12 Marie Drive within the required side yard.	Granted
<u>Case #38-69</u> Ronald J. Lange	For a variance to erect a carport at 25 Westdale Avenue within the required side yard.	Granted
<u>Case #39-69</u> North American Acceptance Corp.	For a variance to erect a building at 581 Main Street for use as an automobile wash stand; to erect the building within the required front yard and to erect advertising signs.	Granted
<u>Case #40-69</u> Norbert K. and Sylvia S. Mader	For a variance to erect an addition at 6 Drury Lane within the required side yard.	Granted
<u>Case #41-69</u> Edward J. and Mary Costello	For a variance to erect an addition at 6 Cottage St. within the required front and side yards.	Granted
<u>Case #42-69</u> Eupleo and Mary Cuoco	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Dutton Road into two lots each having insufficient frontage and area; and to authorize insufficient front and side yard on existing dwelling; and to build proposed dwelling within the required front yard area.	Granted
<u>Case #43-69</u> Cornelius F. Joyce	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Glen Road and a variance on three lots on Harden Street having insufficient depth.	Granted
<u>Case #44-69</u> P.G.A. Realty Tr.	For a variance to remove excess gravel from a parcel of land on Andover Street.	Withdrawn
<u>Case #45-69</u> DiCenso Const. Co. (Smithcraft Corp., Agent)	To renew a temporary sign permit on Industrial Way	Granted
<u>Case #46-69</u> James F. Lancaster	For a variance to erect an addition at 19 West Street within the required side yard.	Denied
<u>Case #47-69</u> John R. Evans (Joseph J. Flynn, Agent)	On an appeal from a decision by the Building Inspector denying a permit for a sign on Ballardvale Street and Interstate 93.	Denied
<u>Case #48-69</u> Sweetheart Plastics, Inc.	For a variance to remove and sell loam out of town.	Granted

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #49-69</u> Louis and Nellie Mazzarella	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a parcel of land on Martens Street.	Granted
<u>Case #50-69</u> Francis E. and Bertha M. Merrill	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a parcel of land on Chestnut Street having insufficient frontage and area.	Denied
<u>Case #51-69</u> Charles Imbracsio	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a parcel of land on Dorchester Street having insufficient frontage, depth and area.	Denied
<u>Case #52-69</u> Herbert F. Colby, Jr.	For a variance to install a swimming pool at 4 Grace Drive within the required side yard.	Granted
<u>Case #53-69</u> Warren G. Johnson	For a variance to erect a garage at Holt Street within the required front yard.	Granted
<u>Case #54-69</u> Francis L. Farrell	For a variance to erect an addition at 216 Wildwood Street.	Granted
<u>Case #55-69</u> Ronald H. & Mildred N. Wolff	For a variance to use red cedar shingles as roofing material at 584 Woburn Street.	Withdrawn
<u>Case #56-69</u> Corydon W. Coombs (Jackson Brothers, Agent)	For a variance to obtain a building permit on a lot on Middlesex Avenue having insufficient area and depth.	Withdrawn
<u>Case #57-69</u> Saverio DelNinno	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a lot on Grove Avenue having insufficient frontage, depth and area.	Denied
<u>Case #58-69</u> A & M Fenton Realty, Inc.	For a variance to erect a sign at 104 Lowell Street.	Granted
<u>Case #59-69</u> Bernard F. Wagstaff	For a special permit to construct a salesroom and repair garage; and to use on open lot for the parking and sale of used automobiles.	Denied
<u>Case #60-69</u> Erminio Covelle	For a variance to erect a garage at 885 Main Street.	Granted
<u>Case #61-69</u> C R Realty Trust	For a special permit to place two trailers to be used in raising laboratory animals at 251 Ballardvale Street.	Withdrawn
<u>Case #62-69</u> Corydon W. Coombs (Jackson Brothers, Agent)	For a variance on a lot on Middlesex Avenue having insufficient area and depth.	Pending

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Reason for Appeal</u>	<u>Decision</u>
<u>Case #63-69</u> Sweetheart Plastics	For a variance from the following sections of the Zoning By-Law: Section I-3, lots in more than one district; Section IV-3, off-street parking; Section V-1, schedule of requirements; and obtain a building permit.	Granted
<u>Case #64-69</u> Joseph Marquebreuck	For a variance to erect an addition on Sheldon Avenue within the required front yard.	Granted
<u>Case #65-69</u> John Lucci (Paul Esposito, Agent)	For a variance to erect a sign at 211 Lowell Street.	Granted
<u>Case #66-69</u> Anthony Paolini (Dora M. Theriault, Agent)	For a variance to erect a dwelling on a lot on Lexington Street, within the required front and rear yards.	Denied
<u>Case #67-69</u> Richard D. Balestrieri	For a variance to erect a residential garage in an industrial zone at 130 Eames Street within the required side and rear yards.	Pending
<u>Case #68-69</u> Salvatore, Paul & Clare D'Allesandro	For a special permit to operate a truck terminal and store 5,000 gallons of gasoline underground on Andover Street.	Pending
<u>Case #69-69</u> Jackson Brothers, Inc.	For a variance on nine (9) lots on Shawsheen Avenue (Jackson Park Subdivision). Lots 1 and 3 having insufficient area and depth, Lot 5 having insufficient area, and lots 2,4,6,8,13, and 15 having insufficient depth according to the Zoning By-Law.	Pending
<u>Case #70-69</u> Angelina DePiano	For a variance to divide a parcel of land on Pineview Road into two lots; each having insufficient frontage and area according to Section V-5 of the Zoning By-Law.	Granted

## Sealer of Weights & Measures

The list of measuring devices, meters, and weights adjusted and sealed during the year 1969 is as follows:

	<u>Adjusted</u>	<u>Sealed</u>	<u>Not Sealed</u>	<u>Condemned</u>
Balances, Scales & Weights	7	117	8	5
Capacity Measures	0	10	0	2
Liquid Measuring Meters	20	139	1	2
Other Measuring Devices	5	10	0	2
Reweighing of Prepackaged Foods	400			

# Shawsheen Valley Technical School

The year 1969 has proven a most significant one. After many years of planning, our school project has become a reality. Although this has been the subject of discussion over a long period of time, I feel that it has been worth waiting for in view of the extensive research done in order to give our community one of the finest schools of this type in the country. The progress of building has been very gratifying, and all of us look forward to 1970 when the doors of the school will open and offer opportunities to so many people, both young and old.

The School Committee continued to meet on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the temporary District Office located at 240 Cambridge Street, Burlington. The membership and terms of office are as follows:

Name of Member		Term Expires
	BEDFORD	
Mr. Fred Keough		1971
Mr. Joseph Rogers		1972
	BILLERICA	
Mr. Kenneth Buffum		1970
Mr. Everett McCue		1972
	BURLINGTON	
Mr. Wallace Haigh		1970
Mr. John Murphy		1972
	TEWKSBURY	
Mrs. Anthony Anderson		1970
Mr. Roy Curseaden		1971
	WILMINGTON	
Mr. Eugene Kritter		1972
Mr. Frank McLean		1970

On April 1st, the following officers were elected: Mr. Kenneth Buffum, Chairman; Mrs. Anthony Anderson, Vice Chairman; Mr. Wallace Haigh, Secretary-Treasurer.

Because of the increased activity relative to the school project, the following Subcommittees were appointed by Chairman Buffum:

<u>FINANCE</u>	<u>NON-TEACHING PERSONNEL</u>	<u>BUILDING</u>
Wallace Haigh, Chairman	Fred Keough, Chairman	Everett McCue, Chairman
John Murphy	Eugene Kritter	John Murphy
Everett McCue	Joseph Rogers	Mrs. Anthony Anderson
Fred Keough	Roy Curseaden	
<u>LONG RANG PLANNING</u>	<u>EQUIPMENT &amp; COORDINATOR</u>	<u>TEACHING PERSONNEL</u>
Eugene Kritter, Chairman	Joseph Rogers, Chairman	John Murphy, Chairman
John Murphy	Everett McCue	Mrs. Anthony Anderson
Mrs. Anthony Anderson	Frank McLean	Joseph Rogers
Frank McLean	Roy Curseaden	

Bids for construction of the school facility were opened on January 22, 1969 and the Committee voted to accept the low bid of James J. Welch Company, Inc., Salem, Massachusetts, in the amount of \$3,826,739. Construction started in April at which time the Clerk of the Works, Mr. Michael J. Boyle, was employed to represent the School Committee. The carpenters were on strike for a six week period which delayed the start of construction. However, it was felt that this delay may not be too serious as many of the subcontractors were engaged in planning and fabricating various items required for the building of the school.

Bonds in the amount of \$2,000,000 were sold to the First National Bank of Boston Syndicate for 10 years at 4.75% as the initial step in the financing of the school. Notification was received from School Building Assistance Bureau that the estimated total cost of \$4,863,238 was authorized and that the estimated grant is \$3,161,105.

The Building Committee was active in working with representatives from the Architects' office.

Due to the increased activity, two new members were added to the school staff, Mrs. Frances Dugan as Senior Clerk and Mr. Joseph Bastable as Director of Guidance. It is anticipated that early in 1970, a Technical Coordinator will be employed whose responsibility will be to expedite acquisition of equipment for the school.

Mr. Wolk was voted tenure as of August 15 having completed three years of service as Superintendent-Director.

Tentative plans were made to have a cornerstone laying ceremony in the spring of 1970.

The Committee voted that the name of the school be known as SHAWSHEEN VALLEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL.

Our school project was honored by having the plans and special exhibits on view at the Annual Convention of the American Vocational Association held in Boston December 5 through the 10th.

The Committee has become aware of the interest of both the State and Federal Government in promoting vocational education. Reimbursement for planning cost was received from the State in the amount of \$176,898.05. In addition, the District received \$72,947 from the Federal Government which is the first payment toward construction under the Federal Act 90-576.

I extend my appreciation and thanks to not only the members of the School Committee who have served so faithfully and gave of their time, both in the regular meetings and the subcommittee meetings, but also to the many individuals who have served on the Advisory Boards and the interested citizens who have contributed greatly to the success of this project.

Total Operating Budget	\$ 412,474.00
Total Capital Budget	307,162.50
Total 1970 Requirement	\$ <u>719,636.50</u>

Total Interest Accrued from Certificates of Deposits and Treasury Bills	\$ 72,497.08
Other Interest	3,729.22
Town Assessments Due	47,986.52
Anticipated State Portion of Operating Costs	12,457.00
SBAC Grant Anticipated	302,000.00
Salary Reimbursement Anticipated	15,250.00
Total Interest & Reimbursements	\$ <u>453,919.82</u>
Total Operating Balance	11,797.84
Total on Hand	\$ <u>465,717.66</u>
To Be Raised and Appropriated	\$ 253,918.84

#### REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT-DIRECTOR

During the year 1969, the final plans for the school project were completed and approved by the State Department of Education and School Building Assistance Bureau. We moved into Phase II which was the awarding of bids and the start of construction of the school building. In reference to the bids of the subcontractors, it was necessary to work together with legal counsel in order to rectify certain matters so that the subcontractors could proceed on the project.

In developing some of the details relative to equipment and furnishings, a number of visits were made to various regional vocational technical schools so that we could benefit from their experience.

Mr. Joseph Bastable was appointed as Director of Guidance. Mr. Bastable proceeded to arrange orientation meetings with guidance counselors of the school systems of the five towns, and later spoke to the 8th and 9th grade students. A brochure was developed and printed as were application forms, and these were distributed to those students interested in applying to this school.

Action was taken to review the equipment specifications for the various areas to make sure that they were up-to-date and comparable to what is being used in industry. Meetings of the Advisory Committees in the following areas were held: Automotive, Auto Body, Machine Shop, Metal Fabrication, Drafting, Library Resource Center, and Chemical Laboratory Technician. Bids went out on Automotive Shop equipment as well as fixed case-work and science tables. These bids were awarded so that there would be no delay in their installation. We were able to acquire a considerable amount of TV equipment for our school which conforms with recommended specifications and which was purchased at considerable savings.

As a public school, we are eligible for government surplus equipment which may be used to equip our shops. We have been advised of such equipment being available, and during this year we visited the following: Fritsche Machine Company in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, Riverside Transportation Company, Medford; Harrington and Richardson, Worcester; Belmont Vocational School; Raytheon Company in Lawrence. In addition, we are keeping in touch with the Federal Surplus Equipment Department in Memphis, Tennessee, who advises us as to what equipment is available throughout the country and what items could be used in our school.

Consideration has been given to proposals for developing innovative programs. One was the possibility of setting up a training program for library aides; another is a pilot program for the training of special class students. This latter program was explored and approved by the Committee and will become part of our Basic Mechanic Group.

During this year, I attended the following conventions and conferences: American Association of School Administrators, Atlantic City; American Vocational Association, Boston; Regional Clinic of Vocational Education, Providence, Rhode Island; Annual Summer Vocational Conference, Westfield State College; Conference of School Superintendents and School Committeemen, West Harwich.

Faculty teacher application forms have been printed and distributed. It is anticipated that candidates for the various positions will be interviewed and contracts signed early in 1970.

With the approval of the Committee, candidates for Technical Coordinator have been interviewed and this position is expected to be filled by an individual who would have the responsibility of expediting the purchasing and installation of equipment for the school.

I worked closely with the Non-Teaching Personnel Committee and the Teaching Personnel Committee in establishing salary schedules and fringe benefits.

The most important legislative Act is 90-576 which is an amendment to the Vocational Act of 1963. When this Act is funded, it will provide considerably more funds for technical vocational education in the state. I have been in communication with other school directors relative to legislation affecting our particular school or region. There were various bills in the State Legislature and I appeared at hearings on these bills for the benefit of our School District.

Seeing the actual building of our school has been a great source of satisfaction to the members of our staff who have worked so diligently in the handling of all details, and to the members of the School Committee, and those on our Advisory Committees, with the realization that this project when completed will be one of the outstanding schools of its kind in the State.

SHAWSHEEN VALLEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

	<u>PUPIL POPULATION</u>	<u>PERCENTAGE</u>	<u>TOWN'S SHARE OF OPERATING BUDGET</u>	<u>TOWN'S SHARE OF CAPITAL BUDGET</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Bedford	3,729	11.955	\$ 17,400.06	\$ 12,955.94	\$ 30,356.00
Billerica	8,549	27.407	39,889.87	29,701.67	69,591.54
Burlington	7,048	22.595	32,886.18	24,486.78	57,372.96
Tewksbury	6,899	22.117	32,190.47	23,968.76	56,159.23
Wilmington	4,968	15.926	23,179.70	17,259.41	40,439.11
TOTALS	<u>31,193</u>	<u>100.000</u>	<u>\$145,546.28</u>	<u>\$108,372.56</u>	<u>\$253,918.84</u>

## Sarah D. J. Carter Lecture Fund

The 60th anniversary program - "Sandefjord - Her Voyage Around the World" - presented on March 28, 1969, was very well received by capacity audiences. There were two performances during the school day for the High School students and one in the evening for adults. In 1913 the "Sandefjord" was launched to serve the Norwegian Life-boat Institution. Fifty years later the once proud and gallant ketch was found, half sunk at her mooring, in Durban, South Africa. The Cullen brothers, Bary and Patrick, spent two years repairing and reconditioning her for their 627-day around the world voyage with a crew of six young, spirited adventurers.

The Carter Lecture Fund Committee is privileged to announce that Mr. Stanton Waterman will be in Wilmington for a performance at 8:15 P.M. for adults in the Herbert C. Barrows Auditorium on Wednesday Evening, March 11, 1970. We are sponsoring, in part, with the Wilmington School Committee two performances during the school day for the High School students on Thursday, March 12, 1970.

Mr. Waterman will present "THE CALL OF THE RUNNING TIDE", a distillation of more than 35,000 feet of film taken during hundreds of hours on the sea bottom and along the barrier reefs. It also records with humor and excitement many of the rare adventures among the islands. Highlights of the film are rarely seen aquabatics of the one half ton manta rays, feeding the sharks under water in the Raiatea Lagoon, an incredible slide down a four hundred foot high Tahitian waterfall, fishing for the giant tuna on a feeding frenzy at sea, sailing the swift outrigger canoes in the Bora Bora Lagoon, the never before filmed weird ballet of the garden eels, "Dirty Old Hermit" of Tautira, the bulldozer shrimp, the deadly stone fish, lion fish and dozens of other unique reef dwellers, ancient and unchanged ways in which the Polynesians harvest the sea.

This is why Stanton Waterman took his family to live and work with him among the Islands of French Polynesia for an entire year.

The Carter Lecture Fund Committee wishes to express its appreciation to Mrs. John G. Hayward who was a member of the committee from 1949 to 1969, serving as secretary and as chairman.

# School Committee

The School Committee of the Town of Wilmington herewith presents its report for the year 1969. The membership of the Committee was as follows:

William J. Fay, Jr., Chairman  
Diana C. Imbimbo, Vice Chairman  
L. Barbara Hooper, Secretary  
John Brooks  
Arnold F. Lanni  
Walter McNamara

## A Year Of Decision Regarding Future High School Facilities

Upon investigation of the prohibitive cost of building a new high school, the Committee decided to work toward an addition to the present high school with renovations and updating of the existing high school facilities. In working toward this end, the Committee contracted with the consulting firm of Hill and Associates to provide the following:

Phase I - Educational Design Report - The Consulting Firm shall prepare a written report, utilizing photographs and other graphic materials as needed, which summarizes the significant changes in High School building design which have taken place since the last addition to the High School and which are currently accepted design practice. This report shall also take into consideration the direction in which current educational design seems to be moving, in order that any facility designed on the basis of such a report not be obsolete at the time of its inauguration.

Phase II - Inspection of Present Facilities - On the basis of Wilmington's philosophy of education in respect to scheduling and departmental grouping, the Consulting Firm shall inspect the efficiency of each teaching station as it is presently used as well as the overall allocation of spaces throughout the complex.

The Consulting Firm shall prepare a preliminary report summarizing the results of this inspection. Such report may include recommendations for altering the use of existing areas to increase either efficiency or utility.

This report, in preliminary form, shall be reviewed with the Committee before completing work on Phase III and IV.

Phase III - Educational Specification Phase - The Consulting Firm shall, in the light of the two previous phases, review and coordinate with the Committee and suitable school personnel to establish specific space requirements which will be adequate for the foreseeable future. This would include descriptions of specific spaces such as multi use spaces and sketches illustrating the use of such spaces.

Phase IV - Evaluation of Modification Possibilities - The Consulting Firm shall review and evaluate the practical area(s) for a proposed addition to and the alteration of the present High School. This review shall establish the following:

- A. Maximum utilization of existing facilities.
- B. Suitability from the standpoint of sound engineering and architectural practices.
- C. Ability to fulfill established space requirements.
- D. Ability to fulfill all pertinent State school building requirements.

- E. Relative cost as they may pertain to the School Building Assistance Bureau and State Construction grants.

To illustrate the need for these additional facilities the chart entitled "Enrollment Projections 9 - 12", prepared by Hill and Associates and contained in this report, demonstrates the growth pattern of grades 9 - 12.

At the close of the 1969 school year the Committee conducted a joint meeting with the Permanent Building Committee for the purpose of outlining the direction they want to take in regard to land utilization and land needs.

During the early part of 1970, the specifications for this addition will be reviewed and explored with the School Building Assistance Bureau. Following these steps a special town meeting will be held for the purpose of (1) requesting the necessary land taking and (2) requesting preliminary architectural fees for the purpose of drafting the needed addition. The Committee intends to conduct a series of meetings during which time the proposed High School addition will be outlined in detail.

In other matters involving the operation of the Wilmington Public Schools the Committee dealt with the following:

1. The Hot Lunch Program was extended to include all schools in the town. This was accomplished by preparing lunches in existing cafeterias and transporting them to the necessary schools.
2. The Committee again entered into collective bargaining with teachers, clerks, nurses and cafeteria personnel on salaries and conditions of employment. The result was the realization of salary schedules with the above groups which kept Wilmington in a competitive position with surrounding communities.
3. The Committee entered into a recruitment program which resulted in considering candidates from the following colleges and universities visited by administrative personnel:

Boston College	University of Massachusetts
Emmanuel College	Wellesley College
Harvard University	Northeastern University
Tufts University	Boston University
Salem State College	University of New Hampshire
Lowell State College	Springfield College
Regis College	Simmons College

The Committee elected 69 teachers to fill vacancies, 52 for replacement and 17 for new positions due to population growth and to allow for curriculum improvements in specialized areas.

4. Resignations were received from 45 teachers for the following reasons:

Prof. Improvement	2	Teach in other Communities	18
Family Responsibility	4	Marriage	5
Maternity	7	Leave of Absence	7
Counselled out	9	TOTAL	52

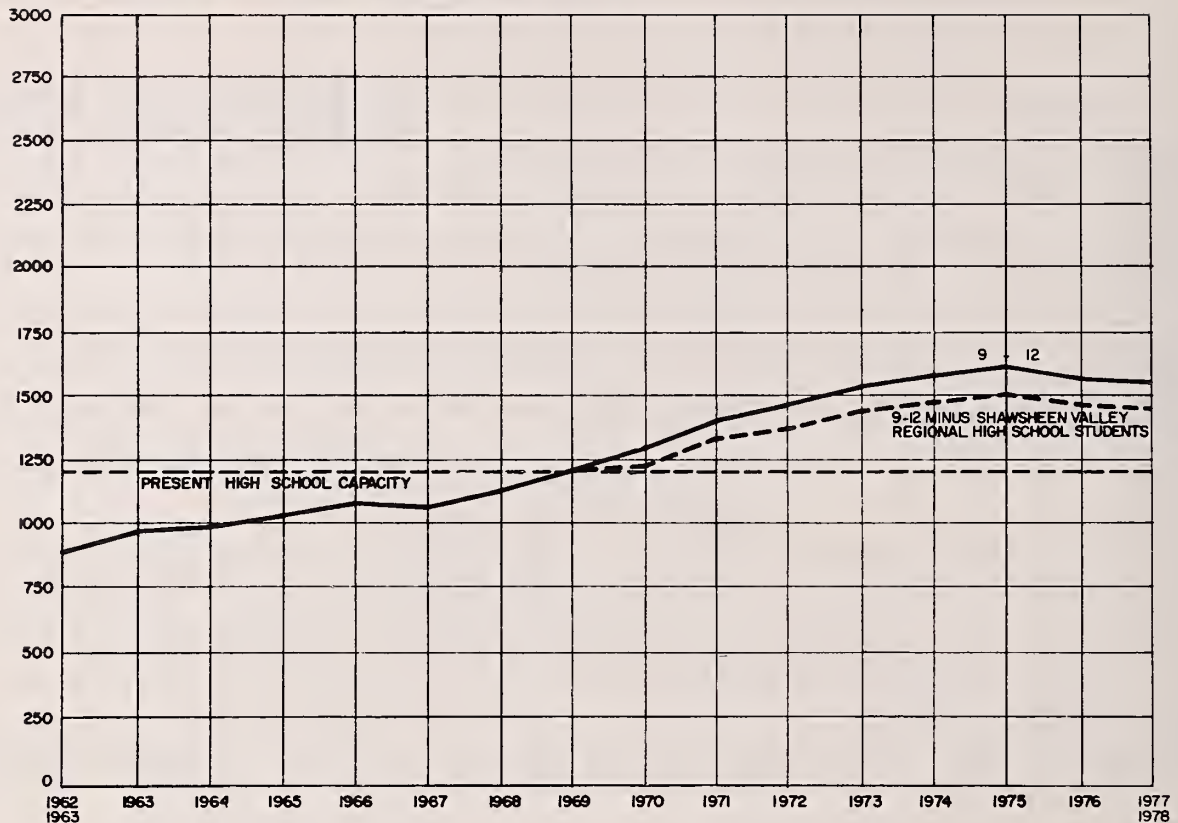
One staff member retired during the year - Harold Driscoll, former High School Assistant Principal and Director of Federal Projects. The Committee commends Mr. Driscoll for his thirty-three years of outstanding service rendered to the young citizens of Wilmington

5. The Committee also dealt with Curriculum Development and Improvement, textbook adoption, innovations in teaching methods, approval of new courses and other matters relating to the operation of the Wilmington Public Schools.

The Wilmington Public Schools were in session for 180 days beginning September 4, 1968 and ending June 26, 1969. The number of meetings totaled twenty-one (21) regular meetings; six (6) special meetings; six (6) subcommittee meetings. This is exclusive of collective bargaining sessions which numbered approximately fifteen (15).

The Committee extends its sincere thanks to the town departments and town officials and to the citizens of Wilmington for their cooperation and assistance during the past year.

## ENROLLMENT PROJECTIONS 9-12



In conclusion the Wilmington School Committee honors Harold S. Shea deceased Superintendent of Schools with the following tribute in his behalf as voted at the meeting of August 28, 1969:

### A TRIBUTE

Whereas:

Harold S. Shea

faithfully served the Town of Wilmington for nine years as Superintendent of Schools; and

During that period was a dedicated, resourceful leader of a rapidly expanding public school system;

Demonstrating himself to be an educator committed irrevocably to the development of youth in the highest tradition of his profession;

Giving, without measure, of his resources, talents, vision, and even his life's strength; and, further,

Was, in Life, a source of inspiration to all his associates, an example to his staff and faculty, a very sympathetic parent to other concerned parents, and a patient, understanding link with a younger, and sometimes questioning, generation;

And, in Death, an irreparable loss to the School Department and to the Community.

Therefore, the School Committee, of the Town of Wilmington, memorializes the Life, Service, and Death of

Harold S. Shea

And, further, solemnly declares him eminently worthy of the title, respected above all others throughout history:

### A TEACHER

# Acting Supt. of Schools

I herewith submit the 1969 annual report as Acting Superintendent of Schools.

It is with a great deal of sadness that I find myself in the position of filing this report on behalf of Harold S. Shea, late Supt. of Schools. Harold Shea was Superintendent from 1960 to 1969 and his untimely death was a great loss to the community of Wilmington.

This report will be divided into five categories as follows:

Elementary  
Intermediate  
High School  
Special Class Program  
General Highlights

## ELEMENTARY

The 1969 school year saw a change in the structure of the academic week with the phasing in of the "Wednesday Afternoon Program." The educational day changed by adding fifteen minutes to the beginning and the end on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. In doing so, this afforded us the opportunity of dismissing the elementary schools on Wednesday at 12:00 noon without violating the twenty-five hour week which is mandated by the State Department of Education. This program enabled teachers to meet collectively for the purpose of updating curriculum, evaluating new textbooks, rendering assistance to students in need of extra help, and meeting with parents. As a result of this change in the educational week, the following elementary committees are diligently at work:

- a) Elementary Science Committee
- b) Elementary Reading Committee
- c) Elementary Language Committee
- d) Elementary Social Studies Committee
- e) Elementary American Heritage Committee
- f) Elementary Arithmetic Committee

This Wednesday program is constantly being evaluated as to its educational value and quarterly reports by the principals are being made to the School Committee.

The 1969 year saw the appointment of Miss Joanne Myers as principal of the Shawsheen Avenue School. This new structure is tentatively scheduled to open sometime in the early part of 1970, will house students in grades 1 - 5 and will have a capacity of approximately 750 pupils.

John Crisafulli was appointed principal of the Wildwood School, effective in the summer of 1969. Mr. Crisafulli, his staff, and students embarked upon a new curriculum organizational program for the 1969 school year. The aim of this new program is to allow for more individualized student instruction resulting in more meaningful learning experiences for each child. Children are grouped homogeneously in the areas of math and reading. All teachers in grades 1 - 5 instruct in the areas of reading, math, and language arts. In science, social studies, history, gym, health, music and art, the Program is departmentalized.

## INTERMEDIATE

The year 1969 saw the phasing in of the family living program at the Intermediate level. After two years of research to determine the needs of the community in the area of family living and sex education, the results clearly indicated a desire by parents of school children to initiate some type of a program within the framework

of the schools that would meet the needs of the child and be acceptable to all segments of the community.

Work was begun early in 1969 on the writing of a pilot program concerning sex education at this level. The final program when completed reflected the joint efforts of members of the community as well as members of the professional teaching staff. This pilot program entitled Project Happy, Healthy and Prepared Parents and Youth was then instituted at the West Intermediate School late in April in grades seven and eight. The total program ran eight weeks. A follow-up study conducted during the summer clearly indicated that the program was very well received by parents and students and had obtained a high degree of success in reaching its stated objectives. Plans for the immediate future call for a repeat of the program at the West Intermediate School and to extend it to the North Intermediate School.

#### HIGH SCHOOL

During 1969 two additional courses were added to the program as follows:

Minority Groups in America: The course consists of a consideration of various minorities in American history. Study will center around the arrival, problems faced, and final merging of the minority group with the Host Society.

Enrollment will be open to members of grades 9 - 12 and will, I believe, be sufficiently flexible to be able to challenge those of grades 12 while not leaving behind those of grade 9.

"Minority Groups in America" will be an elective course, but will have the full status of a regular major course. It will meet five times a week and students will receive a full five credits.

As to why this should be a course unto itself rather than a part of the present Problems of Democracy course, there is a great variety of problems or subject areas that should be covered. There is just not enough time to devote to a complete consideration of minority groups.

Literature of American Minority Groups: The reasons for establishing this course were: (1) to broaden understanding among the students of the groups making up American Society; (2) to encourage students to understand the relevance of others' experience to their own experience; and (3) to introduce into the High School elective courses in English.

The advantage of teaching this course separately, instead of as part of the regular English course, is that the teacher and students would be able to concentrate on specific, limited objectives, that are already defined in the comprehensive English course. Furthermore, it would be a needed experiment in what happens when students choose to study a particular course.

The High School entered into its first full year of computerized services in the area of scheduling, grade reporting and attendance. This added service, particularly the scheduling aspect, has provided a more accurate distribution of classes into a building which is already crowded.

The daily class loads of all English teachers were reduced from five to four to allow for the extensive preparation and corrections which are necessary in this particular course. In addition it allowed for an intensive in-service English program during the 1969 year.

The area of Drug education was explored by a Drug Committee headed by Harold Garrett, Assistant High School Principal. Various films were previewed by teachers and small groups of students. The film entitled "Marijuana" was purchased as the best possible film. In addition, future immediate plans call for this committee, in close cooperation with other community officials and parents to embark on the goal of creating a curriculum that will meet the needs of the youth of Wilmington.

#### SPECIAL CLASS PROGRAM

This all important program was restructured entirely this year with the implementation of Project S.E.E.M. (Special Education, Education Mutual) a federal cooperative program involving Wilmington, Woburn, Stoneham, Reading, North Reading and Lynnfield.

Basically, this program provides for the following:

- a) It provides a richer educational program on a regional basis than can be accomplished on individual town basis.

- b) Grouping children by chronological age, I.Q. and teacher judgment makes for a better educational placement for each child.
- c) Having children placed into four age groupings narrows the wide variance of age span that could exist in some classes.
- d) Placing children into one of eight classifications allows teachers to make better use of instructional materials and teaching practices within the group and with individual children.
- e) Every trainable and educable pupil can be further helped to reach his fullest potential in becoming a self-sufficient member of his community.

Future plans call for this project to encompass the areas of emotionally disturbed, the hard of hearing, and an intensive Work Study program.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Some highlights of the 1969 year were:

- a) Psychological Services were made available to students in all grades by the hiring on a part time basis of two School Psychologists during 1969. Dr. James Stewart and Dr. Harriet Allen have been extremely instrumental in assisting administrators, guidance personnel and teachers by assisting with a number of students who are so vitally in need of this particular type of service.
- b) The Teacher Aide program was formulated during 1969 after Wilmington was successful in receiving federal funds under Public Law 90-35 to train teacher aides. These sixteen aides assist in the duplicating, mimeographing, typing, correcting of tests, attendance recording, lunchroom supervision to name a few. They have been a welcome addition to the staff and we salute them for a job well done. Their role in assisting teachers in nonteaching chores has enabled classroom teachers to devote more time to teaching and classroom preparation.
- c) The addition of staff members in the areas of Reading, Art, Physical Education, and Music has enabled these specialists to increase the classroom visitations to all elementary classrooms. Presently all elementary classrooms are instructed by a music specialist on a weekly basis. One additional member in the Art Department has made the following "once a week" improvements in the following areas:
  - 1) all first grades
  - 2) all four room buildings
  - 3) all special classes

The Physical Education Department visits elementary classrooms on a weekly basis in grades 1 - 6. The Reading Department has focused attention on grade one in particular whereby one member of that department concentrates entirely in this area.

- d) The Summer School Program concluded with 289 students receiving instruction in English, history, mathematics, typewriting, reading and driver education in grades 7 - 12, and 286 children receiving assistance in reading and arithmetic in grades 2 - 6.
- e) In the area of health services, physical examinations for pupils in grades 1, 4, 8 and 11 were given to 1455 students. Vision tests were given to 4673 students, hearing tests to 4701 students.
- f) The soccer program which is offered on a varsity level for high school boys has created a great deal of interest and has resulted in more than thirty-five participants taking part in an inter-school activity after school hours furnishing instruction in body skills and movement in competition directed toward worthy use of leisure time.
- g) The Summer Head Start Program for disadvantaged pre-school children continued during 1969. The total enrollment in this program numbered 41. This educational program continues to meet with success and high praise from federal and state officials who have observed it in action.

h) The status of the 1969 Graduating Class reveals the following breakdown:

Percent to four year colleges and universities	35.0
Percent to less than four year schools (including nursing and technical)	16.0
Percent to further education	51.0
Percent to working forces	37.0
Percent to Service	12.0
	<hr/> 100.0

Listed below are the colleges, universities, technical schools, and nursing schools to which our graduates have been accepted in the fall.

#### LESS THAN 4-YEAR SCHOOLS

Andover Institute of Business  
Bay Path Junior College  
Bryant & McIntosh Business  
Bryant & Stratton Business  
Cape Cod Community College  
Cinderella School  
Dean Junior College  
Endicott Junior College  
Franklin Institute  
Greenfield Community College  
Lawrence Memorial Hospital  
Lassell Junior College

Lowell General Hospital  
Malden Hospital  
Mass. Bay Community College  
New England Aeronautical Institute  
New England Institute of Anatomy,  
Sanitary Science, Embalming  
Newton Junior College  
Newton Wellesley Junior College  
Northern Essex Community College  
Wentworth Institute  
Westbrook Junior College

#### FOUR YEAR COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Adelphi University  
Appalachian University  
Babson Institute  
Boston College  
Boston University  
Brandeis University  
Brigham Young University  
Brown University  
Bryant College  
Cornell  
Emerson College  
Hiram Scott College  
Hofstra University  
Lowell Tech.  
Marquette  
New College  
New England College of Art  
Northeastern University  
Ohio University  
Old Dominion College  
Pfeiffer College  
Providence College  
Pennsylvania Polytech.

St. Gregory's College  
Shimer College  
State College at Boston  
State College at Fitchburg  
State College at Framingham  
State College at Lowell  
St. College at North Adams  
State College at Salem  
Syracuse University  
Temple University  
U.S. Coast Guard Academy  
U.S. Military Academy  
University of Bridgeport  
U. of Mass. (Amherst)  
U. of Mass. (Boston)  
University of Miami  
U. of New Hampshire  
U. of Pennsylvania  
U. of Rochester  
Virginia Wesleyan  
Williams College  
Wisconsin St. University  
Wittenburg University

i) The pupil enrollment as of October 1, 1969 illustrated the following:

Grade 1	528
Grade 2	512
Grade 3	453
Grade 4	468
Grade 5	474
Grade 6	453
Grade 7	446
Grade 8	369
Grade 9	394
Grade 10	302
Grade 11	243
Grade 12	244
Special	81
Total	<u>4967</u>

The professional staff in 1969 numbered 261.

j) The per pupil cost for the period of July 1, 1968 to June 30, 1969 was \$667.70.

In closing, I would like to express my thanks to the School Committee, the staff and the community for their fine cooperation during the year.



HAROLD S. SHEA

# Town Meetings

## WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - MARCH 1, 1969 WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

TO: EITHER OF THE CONSTABLES OF THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON:

GREETINGS: In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and in the manner prescribed in the By-Laws of said Town, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town qualified to vote in Town affairs to meet and assemble at the High School Gymnasium, Saturday, the first day of March, A. D. 1969 at 9:45 o'clock in the forenoon, the polls to be opened at 10:00 a.m., and shall be closed at 8:00 p.m., for the election of Town Offices:

ARTICLE 1. To bring in your votes on one ballot respectively for the following named Offices, to wit: Two Selectmen for the term of three years; Two members of the School Committee for the term of three years; One Moderator for the term of one year; One member for the Shawsheen Valley Regional Vocational/Technical School District Committee for the unexpired term of two years; One member for the Wilmington Redevelopment Authority for the term of five years and vote on the following questions:

QUESTION #1. "Shall the town, in addition to the payment of fifty per cent of a premium for contributory group life and health insurance for employees in the service of the town and their dependents, pay a subsidiary or additional rate?"

QUESTION #2. "Shall the town, in addition to the payment of fifty percent of a premium for contributory group life and health insurance for employees retired from the service of the town, and their dependents, pay a subsidiary or additional rate?"

You are also hereby further required and directed to notify and warn the said inhabitants of the Town of Wilmington who are qualified to vote on elections and town affairs therein to assemble subsequently and meet in Town Meeting at the High School Gymnasium, Church Street, in said Town of Wilmington on Saturday, the eighth day of March, A. D., 1969 at 1:30 p.m., then and there to act on the following Articles:

In accordance with the above Warrant, the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Simon Cutter at 9:45 a.m., as much of the Warrant as is noted above was read and on a motion by Mr. Harold E. Melzar it was voted to dispense with further reading of said Warrant.

The ballot boxes were publicly examined by the Warden, Town Clerk and the Police officer on duty and the ballot-box clerks. Three ballot machines were found to be empty and the register on each machine indicated 00000. Each ballot machine was then locked and the keys given to the Police Officer in charge.

The election officers were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties.

The Warden signed a receipt for 7000 ballots, the number said to be contained in the boxes of ballots which were delivered to him. The ballots were delivered to the ballot clerks.

The Polls were declared open at 10:00 a.m. and they were declared closed at 8:00 p.m. by the Warden.

There were Two Thousand Six Hundred Ninety-one (2691) ballots cast.

All of the ballots cast were sorted, counted, recorded and declaration thereof made as by law is directed, and were for the following, namely: -

SELECTMEN - THREE YEARS

Elected	James R. Miceli, Two thousand one hundred twenty-three	2123
	Paul G. Godzyk, One thousand ninety	1090
Elected	Bruce MacDonald, One thousand three hundred seventy-three	1373
	Felice P. Vitale, Three hundred four	304
	Blanks, Four hundred ninety-two	<u>492</u>
		5382

SCHOOL COMMITTEE - THREE YEARS

Elected	Arnold F. Lanni, One thousand four hundred eighty-seven	1487
	Nancy H. Clark, One thousand fourteen	1014
	James P. Donahue, Four hundred thirteen	413
Elected	L. Barbara Hooper, One thousand two hundred ninety-eight	1298
	Omer Houle, Two hundred forty-three	243
	Joseph A. Paglia, Four hundred thirty-one	431
	Blanks, Four hundred ninety-five	495
	Others, One	<u>1</u>
		5382

MODERATOR - ONE YEAR

	Simon Cutter, One thousand one hundred eighty-one	1181
Elected	John M. Callan, One thousand four hundred eighty-four	1484
	Blanks, Twenty-six	<u>26</u>
		2691

SHAWSHOEN VALLEY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE - TWO YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM

Elected	Eugene L. Kritter, Two thousand one hundred seventy-two	2172
	Blanks, Five hundred fourteen	514
	Others, Five	<u>5</u>
		2691

WILMINGTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY - FIVE YEARS

Elected	Richard W. Thackeray, Two thousand ninety-three	2093
	Blanks, Five hundred ninety-two	592
	Others, six	<u>6</u>
		2691

QUESTION #1. "Shall the town, in addition to the payment of fifty percent of a premium for contributory group life and health insurance for employees in the service of the town and their dependents, pay a subsidiary or additional rate?"

Acceptance of the provisions of this permissive legislation authorized the town to pay more than fifty percent of the total monthly cost of policies of group life, accidental death, group hospital and medical insurance covering town employees.

YES	718
NO	1817
BLANKS	<u>156</u>
	2691

QUESTION #2. "Shall the town, in addition to the payment of fifty percent of a premium for contributory group life and health insurance for employees retired from the service of the town and their dependents, pay a subsidiary or additional rate?"

Acceptance of the provisions of this permissive legislation authorizes the town to pay more than fifty percent of the total monthly cost of policies of group life, accidental death, group hospital and medical insurance covering retired town employees.

YES	694
NO	1829
BLANKS	<u>168</u>
	2691

All the elected officials present were immediately sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk. All other elected officials were sworn in by Tuesday of the following week.

ATTEST:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - MARCH 8, 1969  
WITH ACTION TAKEN THEREON

The adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order by our new Moderator, Mr. John M. Callan at 1:40 p.m. there being a quorum present. Rev. Willis P. Miller led the meeting in prayer. Mr. John Winters, veteran, led the salute to the flag.

The Moderator read the Warrant as far as and including the calling of this meeting.

Motion by Mr. George W. Boylen, Jr.: "I move that the reading of the entire warrant and the return of service thereon be waived." Voted unanimously.

Mr. Callan asked the meeting for permission to refer to each article by number only. There were no objections and this procedure was followed.

ARTICLE 2. To hear the reports of Committees and act thereon. No reports were offered.

ARTICLE 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1969 and January 1, 1970 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 17, or take any action relative thereto.

Motion by Mrs. Wavie M. Drew: "I move that the Town vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue for the financial years beginning January 1, 1969 and January 1, 1970 in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 4, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with the provisions of General Laws Chapter 44, Section 17." Finance Committee approved. Voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of paying unpaid bills of previous years, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. James R. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$3,530.64 for the purpose of paying unpaid bills of previous years. Finance Committee approved the amount of \$3,530.64. Vote taken by voice and it was unanimous and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 5. To see how much money the Town will appropriate for the expenses of the Town and the salaries of the several Town officers and departments and determine how the same shall be raised, whether by taxation, transfer from available funds, or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Richard V. Barry: "I move that the several and respective sums, as recommended by the Finance Committee be raised by taxation or by transfer from available funds and appropriated for the purposes set forth in Article 5, each item to be taken up separately and voted on, subject to amendment." So voted.

ACCORDINGLY THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS WERE VOTED BY TAXATION:

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Selectmen - Legislative

Salaries. . . . .	\$ 1,500.00
Expenses. . . . .	3,500.00
	<u>\$ 5,000.00</u>

Selectmen - Elections

Salaries. . . . .	\$ 2,900.00
Expenses. . . . .	650.00
	<u>\$ 3,550.00</u>

Registrars of Voters

Salaries. . . . .	\$ 3,500.00
Expenses. . . . .	3,365.00
	<u>\$ 6,865.00</u>

	VOTED BY TAXATION
Finance Committee	
Expenses. . . . .	\$ 2,125.00
Town Manager	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 20,136.00
Expenses. . . . .	600.00
	\$ 20,736.00
Industrial Promotion. . . . .	800.00
Town Accountant	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 15,762.00
Expenses. . . . .	390.00
	\$ 16,152.00
Treasurer	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 13,667.00
Expenses. . . . .	1,410.00
Tax Title Foreclosures. . . . .	8,000.00
	\$ 23,077.00
Collector	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 11,617.00
Expenses. . . . .	1,310.00
	\$ 12,927.00
Town Clerk	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 12,756.00
Expenses. . . . .	430.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	2,300.00
	\$ 15,486.00
Board of Assessors	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 21,463.00
Expenses. . . . .	2,675.00
	\$ 24,138.00
Town Counsel	
Salaries (Retainer) . . . . .	\$ 5,000.00
Expenses (Court Appearances). . . . .	5,000.00
	\$ 10,000.00
Town Hall	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 4,981.00
Expenses. . . . .	7,200.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	1,650.00
	\$ 13,831.00
Planning Board	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 1,250.00
Expenses. . . . .	300.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	300.00
Miscellaneous Contractual Services. . . . .	1,200.00
Professional Services . . . . .	8,000.00
701 Project . . . . .	---
Planning Consultant . . . . .	---
	\$ 11,050.00
TOTAL GENERAL GOVERNMENT. . . . .	\$ 165,737.00
PROTECTION - PERSONS AND PROPERTY	
Police Department	
Salaries - Chief. . . . .	\$ 12,041.00
Lieutenant . . . . .	10,179.00
Sergeants. . . . .	34,204.00
Patrolmen. . . . .	158,835.00
Traffic (Policewomen). . . . .	15,600.00
Clerk . . . . .	4,841.00

	VOTED BY TAXATION
Salaries (continued)	
Miscellaneous Details. . . . .	\$ 7,000.00
Police Dog Officers. . . . .	800.00
Vacations. . . . .	10,000.00
Sick Leave . . . . .	5,000.00
Paid Holidays. . . . .	8,000.00
Expenses. . . . .	15,630.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	2,110.00
	<u>\$ 284,240.00</u>
Constable	
Salaries. . . . .	100.00
Fire Department	
Salaries - Chief. . . . .	\$ 11,829.00
Lieutenants. . . . .	26,630.00
Privates . . . . .	131,243.00
Call Fire and Ambulance. . . . .	13,500.00
Vacations. . . . .	10,000.00
Sick Leave . . . . .	5,000.00
Paid Holidays. . . . .	6,500.00
Expenses. . . . .	11,400.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	4,300.00
	<u>\$ 220,402.00</u>
Civil Defense	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 500.00
Expenses. . . . .	500.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	300.00
	<u>\$ 1,300.00</u>
Dog Officer	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 2,000.00
Expenses. . . . .	900.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	---
	<u>\$ 2,900.00</u>
Building Inspector	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 12,406.00
Expenses. . . . .	705.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	---
	<u>\$ 13,111.00</u>
Board of Appeals	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 400.00
Expenses. . . . .	100.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	200.00
	<u>\$ 700.00</u>
Sealer of Weights and Measures	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 1,000.00
Expenses. . . . .	200.00
	<u>\$ 1,200.00</u>
TOTAL PROTECTION PERSONS AND PROPERTY . . . . .	<u>\$ 523,953.00</u>
PUBLIC WORKS	
Town Engineer	
Salaries (Town Engineer). . . . .	\$ 10,806.00
Other Salaries (Mr. Miceli moved to amend from \$10,448 to 0. Mr. Miceli withdrew first amendment. Moved new amendment to \$3,000. Lost by voice vote. Mr. Boylen moved the reconsideration of the amendment to \$3,000. Amendment voted. Main Motion as amended voted.)	3,000.00
Expenses. . . . .	1,500.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	1,650.00
	<u>\$ 16,956.00</u>

	VOTED BY TAXATION
Highway Department	
Salaries - Superintendent . . . . .	\$ 9,665.00
Other Salaries. . . . .	79,314.00
Expenses. . . . .	28,300.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	3,160.00
Maintenance Projects	
Drainage (Mr. Morris moved to amend to \$25,000. Lost.	
First vote tie. Second vote - Yes 270 No 227) . . . . .	12,500.00
Sidewalk Program. . . . .	25,000.00
Public Street Lights. . . . .	37,000.00
Road Machinery	
Expenses (Mr. Barry moved to amend to). . . . .	21,500.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	---
Chapter 90 Construction . . . . .	9,450.00
Chapter 90 Maintenance. . . . .	2,000.00
Chapter 81 Maintenance. . . . .	---
Salaries. . . . .	4,000.00
Expenses. . . . .	9,000.00
Snow and Ice Control	
Salaries (Mr. Barry moved to amend to). . . . .	49,000.00
Expenses (Mr. Barry moved to amend to). . . . .	83,000.00
	\$ 372,889.00
Motion to reconsider Sidewalk Program lost. Seven doubted the vote. Standing vote -	
Yes - 239 No - 249.	
Tree Warden	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 9,000.00
Expenses. . . . .	6,550.00
Dutch Elm Control	
Salaries. . . . .	11,994.00
Expenses. . . . .	1,900.00
Gypsy Moth Control	
Salaries. . . . .	9,000.00
Expenses. . . . .	2,180.00
	\$ 40,624.00
Cemetery and Parks Department	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 45,246.00
Expenses (Voted transfer of \$6,060 from Sale of Cemetery Lots account)	9,340.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	2,280.00
	\$ 56,866.00
TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS. . . . .	\$ 487,335.00
HEALTH AND SANITATION	
Board of Health	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 30,398.00
Expenses. . . . .	2,935.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	95.00
Hospital & Medical Care . . . . .	5,000.00
Garbage Collection. . . . .	20,350.00
Town Dump . . . . .	24,000.00
TOTAL HEALTH AND SANITATION . . . . .	\$ 82,778.00
CHARITIES & VETERANS AID	
Veterans' Aid & Benefits	
Salaries. . . . .	\$ 6,041.00
Expenses. . . . .	170.00
Assistance - Veterans . . . . .	75,000.00
TOTAL CHARITIES & VETERANS AID . . . . .	\$ 81,211.00

VOTED BY TAXATION

MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS

School Maintenance & Operations

Salaries. . . . .	\$ 241,414.00
Repairs to North Intermediate School (Mr. Barry moved that the repairs to North Intermediate School Account of \$11,145.96 be raised by the transfer of \$11,145.96 Which is the unexpended balance in account set up by a previous town meeting for the purpose of repairing the North Intermediate School. Voted.)	
Expenses. . . . .	51,200.00
Fuel Heating. . . . .	38,000.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	10,945.00
	\$ 341,559.00

School Grounds Maintenance

Expenses. . . . .	\$ 6,000.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	4,253.00
	\$ 10,253.00

Town Buildings Maintenance

Expenses. . . . .	\$ 16,000.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	4,000.00
	\$ 20,000.00

TOTAL MAINTENANCE OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS . . . . . \$ 371,812.00

LIBRARY

Board of Library Trustees

Salaries. . . . .	\$ 21,717.00
Expenses. . . . .	26,381.25
(Mr. Barry moved the transfer of \$3,118.75 from State Aid to Public Libraries. Voted.)	
	\$ 48,098.25

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Salaries. . . . .	\$ 21,745.00
(Mr. Joseph Beaton moved the Recreation Department Salaries be amended from \$21,745 to \$22,585 an increase of \$840.00 to defray the expenses of the Wilmington Flag Football League. Lost.)	
Expenses. . . . .	6,400.00
Capital Outlay. . . . .	925.00
	\$ 29,070.00

PERMANENT BUILDING COMMITTEE

Salaries. . . . .	\$ 1,500.00
Office Supplies . . . . .	250.00
Expenses. . . . .	250.00
Contractual Services (Mr. Barry moved the Contractual Services account be raised by the transfer of \$9,000.00 from the Permanent Building Committee, Engineering Services account. Voted.) . . . . .	3,000.00
	\$ 5,000.00

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Expenses. . . . .	\$ 2,970.00
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SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Total Salaries (Mr. Barry moved to reduce salaries by \$95,068. Voted.) . . . . .	\$2,294,489.00
Total Non-Salary Items. . . . .	363,192.00
	\$2,657,681.00

VOCATIONAL TRAINING. . . . . \$ 10,000.00

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT COMMITTEE . . . . . \$ 30,832.00

## UNCLASSIFIED &amp; RESERVE

## VOTED BY TAXATION

Insurance & Bonds. . . . .	\$ 57,518.00
Reserve Fund . . . . .	50,000.00
Blue Cross - Blue Shield & Group Life. . . . .	45,000.00
Local Transportation . . . . .	9,325.00
Town Report. . . . .	2,000.00
Sewer Maintenance. . . . .	1,000.00
Appraisals . . . . .	10,000.00
Training & Conferences - In State. . . . .	3,565.00
Training & Conferences - Out of State. . . . .	800.00
Veterans Retirement (by standing Yes - 396 No - 46). . . . .	10,000.00
Negotiated 1969 Salary Increase. . . . .	90,000.00
Additional Employees by Department	
Public Buildings . . . . .	18,638.00
Library (Mr. Barry moved that the Library Additional Employees account be increased from \$8,918.00 to \$14,658.00. Amendment voted. Motion as amended voted.) . . . .	14,658.00
Cemetery . . . . .	1,100.00
Engineering. . . . .	6,066.00
Mr. Courtney moved to reconsider Additional Employees by Department - Engineering, \$6,066. Lost.	
Veterans' Aid and Benefits . . . . .	156.00
Police (Amendment by Mr. Boylen that the sum of \$7,360. be amended to \$16,370 under Additional Employees by Department - Police. Amendment voted. Main motion as amended voted.) . . . . .	16,370.00
Fire . . . . .	19,249.00
TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED & RESERVE . . . . .	\$ 355,445.00

## MATURING DEBT &amp; INTEREST

Schools (Mr. Barry moved that the Maturing Debt & Interest account of \$712,537 be raised by the transfer of \$301,641 from the Free Cash Account, the transfer of \$5,149.76 from the Accrued Interest, Sale of Bonds Account, and the transfer of \$4,878.43 from the Premium, Sale of Bonds Account, with the balance of \$400,868 to be raised by taxation . . . . .	\$ 400,868.00
General Government (Mr. Barry moved that the Maturing Debt & Interest Account, General Government of \$81,714 be raised by the transfer of \$884.12 from the Accrued Interest, Sale of Bonds Account, and the balance of \$80,830 be raised by taxation. . . . .	80,830.00
Water (Mr. Barry moved that the Maturing Debt & Interest Account of \$80,725 be raised by transfer of \$80,725 from Water Available Surplus Account, no appropriation from taxation. . . . .	---
Interest on Anticipation Notes and Authentication fees . . . . .	25,000.00
TOTAL MATURING DEBT & INTEREST . . . . .	\$ 506,698.00

TOTAL VOTED BY BUDGET - TAXATION	\$5,358,620.25
TRANSFER	517,671.02
	\$5,876,291.27

Voting on budget items completed at 5:50 p.m. Motion to recess to 7:30 p.m. voted.

There were 707 voters checked in at this meeting.

The meeting reconvened at 7:40 p.m. March 8, 1969.

ARTICLE 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the observance of Memorial Day and Veterans' Day and that the Moderator appoint a committee who shall arrange and have charge of said observances, or do anything in relation thereto.

ARTICLE 6. (continued)

Motion by Mr. Boylen that the Town vote to raise by taxation the sum of \$1,500.00 for the observance of Memorial Day and Veterans' Day and that the Moderator appoint a committee who shall arrange and have charge of said observances. Finance Committee approved \$1,500. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of \$750. 00 under the authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, for the purpose of providing suitable quarters for the William F. Tattersall Chapter 106, Disabled American Veterans, located in Wilmington, Massachusetts, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Commander.

Motion by Mr. Banda to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 to effect the purpose of Article #7. Finance Committee disapproved. Some discussion followed. Vote taken by standing. Yes - 160 No - 131 Voted.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, the lease of the American Legion Clubhouse, Inc., in Wilmington for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Wilmington Post #136 of the American Legion, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Miceli to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 to effect the purpose of Article 8. Finance Committee approved. Voted by voice unanimously.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 for the purpose of renewing under authority of Section 9 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, the lease of Veterans of Foreign Wars' Clubhouse on Main Street for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Nee-Ellsworth Post #2458 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Commander.

Motion by Mrs. Drew to raise and appropriate the sum of \$750.00 to effect the purpose of Article 9. Finance Committee approved. Voted.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00, the money to be expended under the direction of the 4-H Town Committee, serving in cooperation with the Middlesex County Extension Service, under the provisions of Sections 40 to 45, Chapter 128 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Banda to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to effect the purpose of Article 10. Finance Committee disapproved; 4-H did not pick up the money voted for them in 1968. Motion lost.

ARTICLE 11. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of four vehicles for the use of the Police Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of four vehicles presently used by the Police Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$10,350.00 for the purchase of four vehicles for the use of the Police Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of four vehicles presently used by the Police Department. Finance Committee approved two cars at \$5,350.00 by taxation. Amendment by Mr. Barry: "I move to amend Article 11 to read 'to raise the sum of \$5,350.00 by taxation for the purchase of two Police Department vehicles with the turn-in of two.'" The amendment was voted. Main motion as amended voted.

ARTICLE 12. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a vehicle for the use of the Fire Chief and authorize the sale or turn-in of the present vehicle used by the Fire Chief, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Sterling C. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purchase of a vehicle for the use of the Fire Chief and authorize the sale or turn-in of the present vehicle used by the Fire Chief." Finance Committee disapproved. Motion lost.

Mr. Vitale asked to take up Article 76 at this time. Motion lost.

ARTICLE 13. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or borrow, or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase and equipping of a 1000 GPM Pumper for the Fire Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$35,000.00 for the purchase and equipping of a 1000 GPM Pumper for the Fire Department." Finance Committee disapproved. Motion voted.

ARTICLE 14. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a vehicle for the use of the Engineering Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of the vehicle presently used by the Engineering Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris to pass over Article 14 and take no action. Voted to pass over this article and take no action.

Mr. Robert Woods moved reconsideration of Article 13. Vote to reconsider lost.

Voter moved reconsideration of Article 7. Vote to reconsider lost.

ARTICLE 15. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a Panel Van Truck for the use of the Engineering Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purchase of a Panel Van Truck for the use of the Engineering Department, and to turn in the present 1957 Chevrolet truck." Finance Committee approved \$2,500.00 by taxation. Vote by standing Yes - 160 No - 248 Lost.

ARTICLE 16. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of two trucks for the use of the Highway Department, 3½ ton chassis and cabs with 5-7 cubic yard dump body, and authorize the sale or turn-in of two 3½ ton dump trucks, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$14,000.00 for the purchase of two trucks for the use of the Highway Department, 3½ ton chassis and cabs with 5-7 cubic yard dump body, and authorize the sale or turn-in of two 3½ ton dump trucks." Finance Committee approved \$7,000.00 (one truck). Amendment by Mr. Charles Mather: "I move that the sum of \$7,000.00 be appropriated for the purchase of one truck for the Highway Department with the turn-in of one truck." Amendment voted. Main motion as amended voted.

ARTICLE 17. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a 3½ ton Chassis and Cab for the use of the Highway Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of 3½ ton dump truck, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen. Motion by Mr. Morris that we vote to pass over Article 17 and take no action. Voted to pass over this article and take no action.

ARTICLE 18. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of two 3/4 ton pick-up trucks for the use of the Highway Department and authorize the sale or turn-in of two 3/4 trucks, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the purchase of two 3/4 ton pickup trucks for the use of the Highway Department and authorize the sale or turn-in of two ½ ton trucks." Finance Committee approved \$2,500.00.

Amendment by Mr. Richard V. Barry: "I move that Article 18 be amended to read 'I move that the Town raise by taxation \$2,500.00 for the purchase of one ½ ton pick-up truck with the turn-in of one truck.'" Amendment voted. Main motion as amended voted.

ARTICLE 19. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a 1½ ton dump truck with earthauger and winch for the use of the Highway Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris to pass over Article 19 and take no action. Voted to pass over and take no action on this article.

ARTICLE 20. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a grader for the use of the Highway Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of the present grader, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$22,615.00 for the purchase of a grader for the use of the Highway Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of the present grader." Finance Committee approved \$22,615.00. Motion so voted.

ARTICLE 21. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a Snow Blower/Loader for the use of the Highway Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris that we pass over Article 21 and take no action. Voted.

ARTICLE 22. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a 3/4 ton pickup truck for the use of the Tree Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purchase of a 3/4 ton pickup truck for the use of the Tree Department." Finance Committee disapproved this article. Vote taken by voice and lost.

ARTICLE 23. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the purchase of a Soil Shredder and Screener from the use of the Cemetery Department, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$2,800.00 for the purchase of a Soil Shredder and Screener for the use of the Cemetery Department. Finance Committee approved \$2,800.00. Voted by standing: Yes - 239 No - 132 Motion carried.

ARTICLE 24. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation, or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a 1½ ton dump truck for the use of the Cemetery Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of a 1½ ton dump truck, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: I move that the Town vote to transfer \$2,665.30 which is the accrued interest from the Cemetery Trust Funds of December 31, 1968, and to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$1,534.70 for the purchase of a 1½ ton dump truck for the use of the Cemetery Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of a 1½ ton dump truck. Finance Committee disapproved. Vote taken by voice and declared lost.

ARTICLE 25. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a 3½ ton dump truck with plow for the use of the Cemetery Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of a 3/4 ton truck with plow, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to transfer \$2,665.30 which is the accrued interest from the Cemetery Trust Funds of December 31, 1968 and to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$4,334.70 for the purchase of a 3½ ton dump truck with plow for the use of the Cemetery Department, and authorize the sale or turn-in of a 3/4 ton truck with plow." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by voice and declared motion carried.

ARTICLE 26. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate for the purchase of a 1½ ton stake dump truck for the use of the Public Buildings Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 26. (continued)

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$4,200.00 for the purchase of a 1½ ton stake dump truck for the use of the Public Buildings Department." Finance Committee disapproved. Vote taken by voice and declared lost.

ARTICLE 27. To see how much money the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds and appropriate for the installation and fencing of a tennis court and ice skating area at the Glen Road School, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Bruce MacDonald: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$12,000.00 for the installation and fencing of a tennis court and ice skating area at the Glen Road School." Finance Committee disapproved. Vote taken by voice and declared lost.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise by taxation or transfer from available funds, and appropriate a sum of money for lighting the tennis court area at the North Intermediate School, or do anything in relation thereto.

Motion by Mrs. Drew: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for lighting the tennis court area at the North Intermediate School." Finance Committee disapproved. Vote taken by voice and declared lost.

ARTICLE 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000.00 to be expended toward the cost of replacing and relocating the Shawsheen Avenue bridge over the Boston & Maine Railroad right of way and for the approaches thereto and to further determine how said appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Boylen: "I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of replacing and relocating the Shawsheen Avenue bridge over the Boston & Maine Railroad right of way by the construction of a new bridge of stone or concrete or of iron superstructure and for expenses in connection therewith, and to meet said appropriation, the sum of \$3,000.00 shall be raised by taxation and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, is hereby authorized to borrow a sum or sums not to exceed \$97,000 in the aggregate under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 7, clause (4), of the General Laws as amended and supplemented and to issue bonds or notes therefor at one time or from time to time, each issue of such bonds or notes to be payable in not more than twenty years from its date." Finance Committee approved \$3,000.00 by taxation and \$97,000.00 by bond issue. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 455 No - 1 Motion carried and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of money apportioned to the Town in accordance with Chapter 616 of the Acts of 1967 for the purpose of completing an approved highway project on Shawsheen Avenue pursuant to the provisions of said Act, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Town Manager.

Motion by Mr. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$9,919.10 which is apportioned to the Town in accordance with Chapter 616 of the Acts of 1967 of the General Laws for the purpose of completing an approved highway project on Shawsheen Avenue which is pursuant to the provisions of said Act." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by voice and declared unanimous by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and direct the Selectmen to appoint a committee of five (5) for the purpose of conducting a study of "The By-Laws of the Inhabitants of Wilmington" and which committee shall further prepare and submit a report of its study to the Selectmen not later than the next Annual Town Meeting so that the Selectmen may take such action as is deemed necessary, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Banda: "I move that the Town vote to authorize and direct the Selectmen to appoint a committee of five (5) for the purpose of conducting a study of "The By-Laws of the Inhabitants" and which committee shall further prepare and submit a report of its study to the Selectmen not later than the next Annual Town Meeting so that the Selectmen may take such action as is deemed necessary." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by voice and declared unanimous by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to amend "The By-Laws of the Inhabitants of Wilmington" by adding in Chapter 3, a new section designated as Section 22, as follows: The Selectmen may accept from time to time in behalf of the Town, the right of easement for storm drain purposes provided such right of easement

ARTICLE 32. (continued)

is made by a good and sufficient instrument executed by the donor in proper form to be recorded in the Registry of Deeds, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. MacDonald: "I move that the Town vote to amend "The By-Laws of the Inhabitants of Wilmington" by adding in Chapter 3, a new section designated as Section 22, as follows: The Selectmen may accept from time to time in behalf of the Town, the right of easement for storm drain purposes provided such right of easement is made by a good and sufficient instrument executed by the donor in proper form to be recorded in the Registry of Deeds." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by voice and declared unanimous by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Sudbury Avenue from Faulkner Avenue a distance of 450 feet, more or less, southeasterly to Cunningham Street, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 80A, as amended, relating to the Assessment of Betterments), which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Charles W. Pearson, et al.

Motion by Mr. Boylen that we pass over Article 33 and take no action. So voted.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Rhodes Street from Glen Road a distance of 325 feet, more or less, southwesterly to a dead end as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 80A, as amended, relating to the Assessment of Betterments), which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Viola Palermo, et al.

Motion by Mr. Boylen that we pass over Article 34 and take no action. So voted.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Wildwood Street from Woburn Street a distance of 1500 feet, more or less, northwesterly to the Wildwood School as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of eminent domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Boylen that we pass over Article 35 and take no action. So voted.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Hopkins Street from Shawsheen Avenue a distance of 3100 feet, more or less, southwesterly to Billerica Town Line, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of eminent domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 36. (continued)

Mrs. Drew moved the adoption of the above Article 36 and to raise \$11,200 by borrowing said amount to effect this article. Finance Committee approved \$11,200 by taxation (under amendment). Mr. Morris amended the motion to read 'to raise \$11,200 by taxation'. Amendment lost. Main motion by standing: Yes - 21 No - 299 Lost.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of West Street, from Lowell Street a distance of 850 feet, more or less, southerly to the improved section, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements, and other easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Miceli to adopt the above Article 37 and to raise and appropriate \$4,800 by taxation to effect this article. Finance Committee approved \$4,800 by taxation. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 199 No - 84 Motion carries.

Reconsideration of Article 36 was called for at this time and the motion lost.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, for the construction of West Street in accordance with the Layout of said West Street from Lowell Street to the improved section as laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 82 and for land acquisition, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Banda: "I move that the Town vote for the construction of West Street in accordance with the layout of said West Street from Lowell Street to the improved section as laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 82, and that the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$38,000 for the purpose of payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements or other easements; \$3,800 of said sum is to be raised by taxation, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow a sum or sums in the amount of \$34,200 and to issue bonds or notes therefor as authorized by Chapter 44 of the General Laws." The Finance Committee approved this motion. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 174 No - 92 Motion lost.

A motion for reconsideration of Article 38 was lost.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Clark Street from Main Street a distance of 1900 feet, more or less, easterly and southeasterly to Middlesex Avenue, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowings, or otherwise, for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. MacDonald to adopt Article 39 and to effect the purpose of said article by borrowing the sum of \$2,100. Mr. Barry amended the motion to raise by taxation the sum of \$2,100, this being the Finance Committee's recommendation. Vote on the amendment carried. Vote on the main motion by standing: Yes - 181 No - 114 Motion lost.

At 11:15 p.m. Mr. Miceli moved to adjourn to Monday night at 7:30 p.m. March 10, 1969 at the High School Gymnasium. Motion lost.

Mr. Banda moved to adjourn to Saturday at 1:30 p.m. March 15, 1969 at the High School Gymnasium. Mr. Neilson gave notice that he would ask reconsideration of Article 39 on March 15, 1969. Motion to adjourn voted at 11:30 p.m. Meeting adjourned. There were 707 voters checked in at this meeting.

The adjourned Annual Town Meeting was called to order by the Moderator at 1:40 p.m. The Moderator stated that a quorum was present.

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Adams Street from Church Street a distance of 1300 feet, more or less, southeasterly to Chandler Road as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor, or do anything in relation thereto.

Mr. Boylen moved the adoption of the above Article 40 and to raise and appropriate \$400.00 by taxation to effect the purpose of this article. The Finance Committee approved \$400.00 by taxation. Vote taken by voice and it was declared unanimous by the Moderator.

After Article 40 was completed a motion was put to the meeting to reconsider Article 39. A voice vote carried.

ARTICLE 39. (The Article is laid out on previous page.)

Motion by Mr. MacDonald: "I move that the Town vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Clark Street from Main Street a distance of 1900 feet, more or less, easterly and southeasterly to Middlesex Avenue, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and that the Town vote to raise and appropriate by taxation the sum of \$2,100.00 for the purpose of payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements or other easements." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 176 No - 31 Motion carried.

ARTICLE 41. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Hanson Road from Woodland Road a distance of 840 feet, more or less, southwesterly to a dead end, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowings, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor or to do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mr. Hooper: "I move that the Town vote to accept as a Town way the layout of Hanson Road from Woodland Road a distance of 840 feet, more or less, southwesterly under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs thereon, which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damage resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements." Finance Committee approved \$100.00 by taxation. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 194 No - 0 The vote was unanimous and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 42. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Woodland Road from Lowell Street a distance of 1170 feet, more or less, southerly to a dead end, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mr. Hooper: "I move the adoption of Article 42 and to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to effect the purpose of this article. Finance Committee approved \$100.00 by taxation. Voted by voice and declared unanimous by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 43. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town way, the layout of Webber Street from Burlington Avenue a distance of 680 feet, more or less, northerly to a dead end, as recommended by the Planning Board and laid out by the Selectmen under the provisions of General Laws (Chapter 82 as amended relating to the Laying Out, Alteration, Relocation and Discontinuance of Public Ways, and Specific Repairs Thereon) which layout is filed in the office of the Town Clerk, and which, with plans therein is hereby referred to for more particular description; and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to take by right of Eminent Domain such land, slope and drainage or other easements as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this Article, and to determine how an appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation or by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of constructing said way and for the payment of any damages resulting from the taking of land and slope easements and other easements, therefor or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Mrs. Drew moved the adoption of Article 43 and to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to effect the purpose of this article. Finance Committee approved \$100.00 by taxation. Voted by voice and declared unanimous by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 44. To see if the town will vote to amend the Building By-Law by striking out Section 5 of Division 1 and inserting in place thereof:

SECTION 5. Before erecting or altering any structure covering more than 100 square feet or more than eight feet high, the owner or his agent shall file with the Inspector an application in writing for a permit giving dimensions, location and description of the intended project and the estimated cost and for all work which cannot be adequately described, shall file duplicate copies of sufficient plans, including plot plans, to enable the Inspector to know the essential features and to determine that the requirements of this by-law are fulfilled. The application shall also state the purpose for which the structure is to be used.

At the discretion of the Building Inspector an additional plot plan shall be submitted after the foundation has been constructed. This plot plan will be certified by a land surveyor registered by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

If it shall appear to said Inspector that the laws or regulations of the Commonwealth, the Town of Wilmington and the requirements of this by-law have not been fulfilled or complied with, he shall refuse such permit. Such refusal shall be in writing, setting forth the reasons therefor.

Ordinary repairs of buildings or structures may be made without application or notice to the Inspector, but such repairs shall not be construed to include the cutting away of any stone or masonry wall or any portion thereof, the removal of any beam or support or the removal, change or closing of any staircase, means of egress or of any chimney or the change or removal of any firestopping.

Nothing in this by-law shall be construed to prevent the Inspector from issuing special permits for foundation work while the plans are being examined. The Inspector may at his discretion require two sets of prints to be filed with the Inspector, one of which is to remain in the custody of the Inspector, the other set, properly stamped by the Inspector, is to be returned with the permit and is to be kept on the work and be available to the Inspector for reference.

ARTICLE 44. (continued)

Permits shall become void six months after date of issue unless construction thereunder shall have been commenced.

All permits issued under this by-law shall be on numbered blank forms furnished by the Inspector who issues the permit. No building hereafter erected, altered, added to or repaired that is to be finished in whole or in part, shall be lathed, plastered or sheathed until the builder or mechanic shall have notified the Inspector of Buildings to inspect the same and shall have received from said Inspector a notice in writing that such work is accepted. The Inspector of Buildings on receipt of a notice from the builder that any building or alterations, additions or repairs to any building are ready for inspection, shall as soon as possible inspect the premises, but shall not accept building until all the requirements of these by-laws as to foundation, frame, chimneys, fire stops, furnace or steam pipes and all other parts of the construction have been complied with, and no building shall be occupied until accepted by the Inspector by issuance of any occupancy permit, as required by Section VIII-1-B of the Zoning By-Law. The Inspector shall also require that all permanent piers or columns needed under girders, trimmers, etc., shall be in place before the building is lathed and plastered. Request of the Building Inspector.

Motion by Mr. McClanahan: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Building By-Law by striking out Section 5 of Division 1 and inserting in place thereof:

SECTION 5. Before erecting or altering any structure covering more than 100 square feet or more than eight feet high, the owner or his agent shall file with the Inspector an application in writing for a permit giving dimensions, location and description of the intended project and the estimated cost and for all work which cannot be adequately described, shall file duplicate copies of sufficient plans, including plot plans, to enable the Inspector to know the essential features and to determine that the requirements of this by-law are fulfilled. The application shall also state the purpose for which the structure is to be used.

At the discretion of the Building Inspector an additional plot plan shall be submitted after the foundation has been constructed. This plot plan will be certified by a land surveyor registered by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

If it shall appear to said Inspector that the laws or regulations of the Commonwealth, the Town of Wilmington and the requirements of this by-law have not been fulfilled or complied with, he shall refuse such permit. Such refusal shall be in writing, setting forth the reasons therefor.

Ordinary repairs of buildings or structures may be made without application or notice to the Inspector, but such repairs shall not be construed to include the cutting away of any stone or other masonry wall or any portion thereof, the removal of any beam or support or the removal, change or closing of any staircase, means of egress or of any chimney or the change or removal of any firestopping.

Nothing in this by-law shall be construed to prevent the Inspector from issuing special permits for foundation work while the plans are being examined. The Inspector may at his discretion require two sets of prints to be filed with the Inspector, one of which is to remain in the custody of the Inspector, the other set, properly stamped by the Inspector, is to be returned with the permit and is to be kept on the work and be available to the Inspector for reference. Permits shall become void six months after date of issue unless construction thereunder shall have been commenced.

All permits issued under this by-law shall be on numbered blank forms furnished by the Inspector who issues the permit.

No building hereafter erected, altered, added to or repaired that is to be finished in whole or in part, shall be lathed, plastered or sheathed until the builder or mechanic shall have notified the Inspector of Buildings to inspect the same and shall have received from said Inspector a notice in writing that such work is accepted. The Inspector of Buildings on receipt of a notice from the builder that any building or alterations, additions or repairs to any building are ready for inspection, shall as soon as possible inspect the premises,

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but shall not accept building until all the requirements of these by-laws as to foundation, frame, chimneys, fire stops, furnace or steam pipes and all other parts of the construction have been complied with, and no building shall be occupied until accepted by the Inspector by issuance of any occupancy permit, as required by Section VIII-1-B of the Zoning By-Law. The Inspector shall also require that all permanent piers or columns needed under girders, trimmers, etc., shall be in place before the building is lathed and plastered." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 45. To see if the Town will direct the Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the enactment of the following special law:

"The provisions of Chapter thirty-one of the General Laws shall apply to the following offices and positions in the Town of Wilmington wherever such offices and positions are on a full-time basis: custodial positions in the school and public buildings department, including the superintendent of the School and public buildings department, positions in the school cafeterias including general workers and cook managers; positions in the classified official and classified labor services in the park, cemetery and school grounds departments, including the superintendents of the park, cemetery and school grounds department, positions in the classified official and classified labor services in the water department, including superintendent; positions in the classified official and classified labor services in the highway department, including superintendent; positions in the classified official and classified labor services in the tree and moth department, including superintendent; clerical positions in the offices of the tax collector, town accountant, town clerk, building inspector, health department, highway department, water department, police department, veterans agent department, public buildings department, assessors department, Town Hall receptionist and public health nurse.

The tenure of office of the permanent incumbent on the effective date of this act of any such office or position shall be unlimited subject, however, to the provisions of the civil service laws and rules, provided, that the incumbent of any such office or position in the classified official service on said effective date shall be subjected by the division of civil service to a qualifying examination, and, if such incumbent passes said examination, he shall be certified for such office or position, and shall be deemed to be permanently appointed thereto without being required to serve any probationary period," or do anything in relation to the same.

Request of Anthony Longo et al.

Finance Committee recommended disapproval. This article is in violation of the principles of Home Rule. Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that we pass over Article 45 and take no action. Voted to take no action.

ARTICLE 46. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and direct the Town Manager and/or Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court for enactment of special legislation for and on behalf of the Town of Wilmington for the purpose of enabling the Town to effectively and reasonably regulate construction on excessively sub-standard lots within the Town, by exempting the Town of Wilmington from Section five A (5-A) of Chapter forty A (40-A) of the General Laws; said legislation being entitled, "Lots Exempt" which reads as follows:

AN ACT EXEMPTING THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON FROM THE OPERATION OF CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATE ZONING LAW.

Section 1. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of law, the provision of Section 5-A of Chapter 40-A of the General Laws shall not apply to the Town of Wilmington.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mr. A. Daniel Gillis: "I move that the Town vote to authorize and direct the Town Manager and/or Board of Selectmen to petition the General Court for enactment of special legislation for and on behalf of the Town of Wilmington for the purpose of enabling the Town to effectively and reasonably regulate construction on excessively sub-standard lots within the Town, by exempting the Town of Wilmington from Section five-A (5-A) of Chapter forty-A (40-A) of the General Laws; said legislation being entitled, "Lots Exempt", which reads as follows:

AN ACT EXEMPTING THE TOWN OF WILMINGTON FROM THE OPERATION OF CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATE ZONING LAW.

ARTICLE 46. (continued)

Section 1. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of law, the provision of Section 5-A of Chapter 40-A of the General Laws shall not apply in the Town of Wilmington.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

The Finance Committee approved this motion. The Planning Board submitted a report to the Town Meeting. The motion was voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 47. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws by striking out in its entirety the following:

III-3. Uses in General Business District

- A.
22. Stadium or arena, indoor or outdoor, used in connection with sporting events, amusements, recreational or place of assembly, but specifically excluding any vehicle or animal racing, with or without a retractable roof.

IV-3 Off Street Parking

- A.
10. For a stadium or arena, one (1) space for each four (4) seats, and/or for each eighty (80) inches of permanent bleacher or bench sitting space, and/or for each twenty (20) square feet of area without permanent seating facilities devoted regularly to such assembly. However, provisions shall be made for hard top surface for one (1) space for each five (5) seats, and/or for each one hundred (100) inches of permanent bleacher or bench-sitting space, and/or for each twenty-five (25) square feet of area without permanent seating facilities devoted regularly to such assembly.

V-2 Height

- C. Stadium or arena use authorized in General Business and Industrial Districts may be constructed above the maximum height limitations, but no such structure or projection shall exceed the height of two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet; or do anything else in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mr. Hooper to amend the Zoning By-Law by striking out in its entirety the following: (wording as laid out above). Finance Committee approved this motion. The Planning Board read a report on this motion to the Town Meeting. The motion was voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 48. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding the following to Section II - Definitions 1.

Accessory Use

- a. Sign. Any words, lettering, parts of letters, figures, numerals, phrases, sentences, emblems, devices, designs, trade names or trade marks by which anything is made known; either attached to a building or free-standing; used to identify the building, structure, use of land, or services sold or conducted within the confines of the property and which is visible from a public street or right of way, or do anything in relation thereto.

Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mrs. Madelyn McKie: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding the following to Section II - Definitions 1. Accessory Use: (as laid out above). Finance Committee approved this motion. The Planning Board read a report on this motion to the Town Meeting. The motion was voted unanimously and so decoared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 49. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law Section IV-3 - Off-Street Parking by striking out A. 4. in its entirety, and inserting in its place the following:

- A.
4. For a place serving food or beverages, or a theatre or other indoor use involving assembly of persons as a principal or predominant characteristic in the conduct of such use, one (1) space for each two point five (2.5) seats, and/or for each fifty-five (55) inches of permanent bleacher or benchsitting space, and/or for each fifteen (15) square feet of area without permanent seating facilities devoted regularly to such assembly, or do anything else in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

ARTICLE 49. (continued)

Motion by Mr. Hooper: "I move that the Town vote to amend the Zoning By-Law Section IV-3 Off-Street Parking by striking out A. 4. in its entirety, and inserting in its place the following:

A.

4. For a place serving food or beverages, or a theater or other indoor use involving assembly of persons as a principal or predominant characteristic in the conduct of such use, one (1) space for each two point five (2.5) seats, and/or for each fifty-five (55) inches of permanent bleacher or bench-sitting space, and/or for each fifteen (15) square feet of area without permanent seating facilities devoted regularly to such assembly."

Finance Committee approved this motion, The Planning Board read a report on this motion to the Town Meeting. The motion was voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 50. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing, or otherwise, for the purpose of acquiring certain parcels of land shown on plans of land referred to as Hiller-Mengis Plans on file with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, in Plan Book 3-A, Plan 42, and Plan Book 36, Plan 141, Lots 13-14, inclusive, and Lots 21-22, inclusive, to which reference is made for a more particular description, for recreation and parklands; and, further, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and/or Town Manager to purchase, secure by option, take by eminent domain, or receive as a gift for said purposes, the aforementioned parcels of land; and provided, further, that said parcels of land be held in the care, custody, management, and control of the Selectmen acting as Park Commissioners and/or the Recreation Commission; or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mr. Gillis: "I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$4,000.00 by taxation for the purpose of acquiring certain parcels of land shown on plans of land referred to as Hiller-Mengis Plans on file with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, in Plan Book 3-A, Plan 42, and Plan Book 36, Plan 141, Lots 13-14 inclusive and Lots 21-22 inclusive, to which reference is made for a more particular description, for recreation and parklands; and further, to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and/or Town Manager to purchase, secure by option, take by eminent domain, or receive as a gift for said purpose, the aforementioned parcels of land; and provided, further, that said parcels of land be held in the care, custody, management, and control of the Selectmen acting as Park Commissioners and/or the Recreation Commission." Finance Committee approved \$4,000 by taxation. The Planning Board read a report to the Town Meeting on this motion. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 261 No - 0 Voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 51. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the care, custody, management and control of land shown on the Wilmington Assessors' Plan, Map Number 40, parcels 104, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 127, 129, and 131, to which reference is made for a more particular description, to the Selectmen acting as Park Commissioners and/or the Recreation Commission; or do anything else in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion by Mr. Gillis: "I move that the Town vote to transfer the care, custody, management, and control of land shown on the Wilmington Assessors' Plan, Map Number 40, parcels 104, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 127, 129, and 131, to which reference is made for a more particular description, to the Selectmen acting as Park Commissioners." Finance Committee approved this motion. The Planning Board read a report on this motion to the Town Meeting. Motion voted unanimously.

Mrs. McKie made a motion that Article 53 be taken out of order at this time. This was so voted.

ARTICLE 53. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by inserting the following provisions entitled - Conservancy District; or do anything else in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

SECTION III-5

A. "C" - Conservancy District is intended for the preservation and maintenance of the ground water table upon which the inhabitants depend for water supply; to protect the public health and safety, persons and property against the hazards of flood water inundation; for the protection of the community against the costs which may be incurred when unsuitable development occurs in swamps, marshes, along watercourses, or in areas subject to floods; to preserve and increase the amenities of the Town; and to conserve natural conditions, wild life, and open spaces for the education, recreation and general welfare of the public.

ARTICLE 53. (continued)

B. If any land shown on the Zoning Map as being in the Conservancy District is proven to the satisfaction of the Board of Appeals, after reference of the proof to and report by the Planning Board and Board of Health, as being in fact not subject to flooding or not unsuitable because of drainage conditions for residential use, and that the use of such land for residence will not interfere with the general purposes for which Conservancy Districts have been established, and will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, the Board of Appeals may permit the use of such land for single family residence under all the provisions of this by-law applying to the SRA and SRB Residence Districts.

C. Permitted Uses:

1. Conservation of water, plants and wild life;
2. Recreation, including play areas, nature study, golf, skating, boating, fishing, and hunting where otherwise legally permitted;
3. Grazing and Farming, including truck gardening and harvesting of crops;
4. Forestry;
5. Telephone, telegraph, power and gas transmission.
6. Subject to permission of the Board of Appeals under specified conditions as provided for in Section X below.

a. Non-residential buildings and structures, such as:

- 1) Barns, stables, or kennels for shelter, breeding, boarding, hiring or sale of animals, and for storage of crops raised on the premises;
- 2) Boat-houses, duck-walks and landings - including renting of boats or canoes and recreation equipment, and sale of bait;
- 3) Temporary refreshment stands or stands for sale of produce raised on the premises;

Provided that any such building or structure permitted by the Board of Appeals shall be designed, placed and constructed to offer a minimum obstruction to the flow of water and shall be firmly anchored to prevent floating away and thus threatening other buildings or blocking of openings in restricted sections of of the watercourse below.

Amusement enterprises such as golf range, pony rides, race track, circus and carnivals, not including any permanent structures and subject to other Town By-laws and Regulations.

- c. Dams, changes in watercourses, or drainage works, only as part of an over-all drainage basin plan.
- d. Temporary storage of materials or equipment.
- e. Driveway or road, provided that the Town Engineer and the Board of Appeals are satisfied that there will be adequate drainage and that such driveway or road will not interfere adversely with the natural flow of water in the area or with the general purposes for which Conservancy Districts are established.

Except as provided above, there shall be, in the Conservancy District: -

- No land fill or dumping in any part of the District;
- No drainage other than Flood Control Works by an authorized public agency;
- No damming or relocating of any watercourses except as part of an over-all drainage basin plan;
- No building or structure;
- No permanent storage of materials or equipment.

If for any reason the restrictions or requirements contained in this Section shall be or become invalid or inoperative as to any land shown on the Zoning Map as being in the Conservancy District, then such land shall continue to be zoned in the district which the Conservancy District overlays.

Motion by Mrs. McKie; motion worded as is laid out above in Article 53. Finance Committee recommendation not unanimous. Yes - 4 No - 3 2 absentia. The Planning Board read a report on this motion to the Town Meeting, which reads in part: "The Planning Board is of the opinion that the urgency for this type of zoning is more than evident." There was more than two hours of discussion on this article. Mr. Buzzell, former Town Counsel, was asked for an opinion. He thinks the motion not very well considered...using Zoning law improperly...town would be in for many years of litigation...he objects to the motion.) Town Counsel Alan Altman said upon being questioned that the validity and constitutionality may be challenged in Court...no clear answer on this article. Mrs. McKie moved that the meeting vote on this article by using the Yes-No ballots. Vote taken for secret ballot and lost. Vote on motion by standing: Yes - 133 No - 252 Lost.

Directly after action on Article 53 was completed, Mr. Vitale moved the reconsideration of Article 53. Motion lost.

ARTICLE 52. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Map by showing thereon the boundaries for a Conservancy District shown on an amended Zoning Map, dated January 27, 1969 and on file with the Town Clerk, or do anything else in relation thereto. Request of the Planning Board.

Motion from Planning Board to pass over Article 52. Voted to pass over this article and take no action.

ARTICLE 54. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of acquiring the following described parcel of land for conservation purposes as described in G.L. Chapter 40, Section 8C, as amended, and to determine how said appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise; and further to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase, take by eminent domain, receive as a gift or execute an option for said purposes, a certain parcel of land being described as follows:

Southerly by land now or formerly of A. P. Rounds, five hundred seventy-six (576) feet;  
Westerly by Lot 32 and Charlotte Road, two hundred (200) feet;  
Southerly by Marie Drive, fifty (50) feet;  
Westerly by Lot 55, one hundred thirty-five (135) feet;  
Southerly by Lots 55, 56, 57 and 58 and part of 59, seven hundred fifty-seven (757) feet;  
Westerly by Lot 50, by Marie Drive running from lot corner to lot corner and by Lot 47, three hundred and thirty (330) feet, more or less;  
Northerly by land now or formerly of Esquire Homes, Inc. and the Town of Wilmington, eight hundred twenty-seven and 75/100 (827.75) feet, more or less;  
Northeasterly by the center line of Martins Brook, one thousand one hundred and seventy-nine (1,179) feet, more or less;  
Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Esquire Homes, six hundred fifty-seven and 95/100 feet more or less.  
Lots referred to in said description are shown on "Esquire Estates, Wilmington, Mass., August 6, 1957" which plan has been recorded with the Middlesex North District Registry of deeds, Book of Plans 89, Plan 84, Sheets 1 and 2; and the land so acquired shall be under the jurisdiction and control of the Conservation Commission, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Conservation Commission.

Motion by Mr. Arthur W. Bureau: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$11,100 for the purpose of acquiring the following described parcel of land for conservation purposes as described in G. L. Chapter 40, Section 8C, as amended, and further to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase, take by eminent domain, receive as a gift or execute an option for said purposes, a certain parcel of land being described as follows:

Southerly by land now or formerly of A. P. Rounds, five hundred seventy-six (576) feet;  
Westerly by Lot 32 and Charlotte Road, two hundred (200) feet;  
Southerly by Charlotte Road, fifty (50) feet;  
Westerly by Lot 55, one hundred thirty-five (135) feet;  
Southerly by Lots 55, 56, 57 and 58 and part of 59, seven hundred fifty-seven (757) feet;  
Westerly by Lot 50, by Marie Drive running from lot corner to lot corner and by Lot 47, three hundred and thirty (330) feet, more or less;  
Northerly by land now or formerly of Esquire Homes, Inc., and the Town of Wilmington, eight hundred twenty-seven and 75/100 (827.75) feet, more or less;  
Northeasterly by the center line of Martins Brook, one thousand one hundred and seventy-nine (1,179) feet, more or less;  
Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Esquire Homes, six hundred fifty-seven and 95/100 (657.95) feet, more or less.  
Lots referred to in said description are shown on "Esquire Estates, Wilmington, Mass., August 6, 1957", which plan has been recorded with the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 89, Plan 84, Sheets 1 and 2, and the land so acquired shall be under the Jurisdiction and control of the Conservation Commission."

The Finance Committee now recommends approval by taxation \$11,100. This is the vote of five members of this committee. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 248 No - 14 Motion carries.

ARTICLE 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of acquiring the following described parcel of land for conservation purposes as described in G. L. Chapter 40, Section 8C, as amended, and to determine how said appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by

ARTICLE 55. (continued)

transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise; and further to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase, take by eminent domain, receive as a gift or execute an option for said purposes, a certain parcel of land being described as follows: Bounded Northwesterly by Lot 36 and Lot 37 and Charlotte Road shown on Esquire Estates Plan dated August 6, 1957, recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 89, Plan 84, Sheets 1 and 2; Northeasterly by Martins Brook; Southerly by un-named brook; and Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Thrush; containing 3.5 acres, more or less; and the land so acquired shall be under the jurisdiction and control of the Conservation Commission, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Conservation Commission.

Mr. Morris moved to pass over this article and take no action. Voted to take no action.

After Article 55 was completed, Mr. McKelvey moved to take Article 77 out of order at this time. So voted. Mr. Harold McKelvey moved to pass over Article 77 and take no action. Voted to take no action on this article, which provided for the collection of rubbish and refuse.

ARTICLE 56. To see if the Town will vote to accept G. L. Chapter 48, Section 58D, which pertains to a forty-two hour work week for permanent members of the Fire Department, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Town Manager. Mr. Woods moved to pass over Article 56 and take no action. Voted to take no action on this article.

ARTICLE 57. To see if the Town will vote to accept G. L. Chapter 180, Section 17A, which pertains to payroll deductions for Union Dues, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Town Manager.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to accept G. L. Chapter 180, Section 17A, which pertains to payroll deductions for Union Dues." Finance Committee approved. Motion so voted by voice.

ARTICLE 58. To see if the Town will vote to accept G. L. Chapter 48, Section 57C, and Chapter 40, Section 21C, which pertain to paid leaves of absence of certain employees to attend Union Meetings, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Town Manager.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to accept G. L. Chapter 48, Section 57C, and Chapter 40, Section 21C, which pertain to paid leaves of absence of certain employees to attend Union Meetings." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by voice and lost.

ARTICLE 59. To see if the Town will authorize the School Committee, in accordance with General Laws Chapter 149, Section 1781 as amended by Chapter 633 of the Acts of 1968, to designate an attorney as a representative of the School Committee for the purpose of bargaining with employee organizations for school employees, or take any other action relative to the same. Request of School Committee.

Motion by Mr. William J. Fay: "I move that the Town authorize the School Committee, in accordance with General Laws Chapter 149, Section 1781 as amended by Chapter 633 of the Acts of 1968, to designate an attorney as a representative of the School Committee for the purpose of bargaining with employee organizations for school employees." Finance Committee approved this motion. Vote taken by voice and declared by the Moderator as carried.

ARTICLE 60. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of General Laws Chapter 90, Section 7L, viz: Notwithstanding the provisions of Clause (2) of Section Seven B, Chapter 90, in any City or Town which accepts the provisions of this section, the operator of a school bus shall not allow the number of school children riding in the bus at any one time to exceed the number of seats therein, nor shall he drive said bus until each child is seated. Whoever violates the provisions of the section shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or will take any other action relating to the same. Request of School Committee.

Motion by Mr. Fay: "I move that the Town accept the provisions of General Laws Chapter 90, Section 7L, viz.: Notwithstanding the provisions of Section Seven B, Chapter 30, the operator of a school bus shall not allow the number of school children riding in the bus at any one time to exceed the number of seats therein, nor shall he drive said bus until each child is seated. Whoever violates the provisions of the section shall be punished by a fine of not less than fifty dollars nor more than five hundred dollars." Finance Committee disapproved. Vote taken by voice and declared lost by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 61. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Sewer Commissioners acting for and on behalf of the Town to install a sewer main or mains in such locations as the Sewer Commissioners may determine from the vicinity of Eames Street to the Metropolitan District Commission sewer line at the Woburn City Line, and in Eames Street, subject to the Assessment of betterments or otherwise, in accordance with Chapter 297 of the Acts of 1958 and all acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, or otherwise acquire any fee, easement or other interest in land necessary therefor; that the Town Manager be and hereby is authorized to execute a contract in the name of the Town and further, apply for, accept and expend Federal and State aid with respect to the foregoing project; that to finance the foregoing project the sum of \$250,000 is hereby appropriated; that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$5,000 shall be included in the current tax levy and the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$245,000 under General Laws Chapter 44, Section 7, Clause (1), and/or in accordance with Chapter 297, Acts of 1958, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town payable within 20 years from their dates, provided that the total borrowing authorized hereby shall be reduced by the amount of any Federal and State construction grants obtained for the purpose of carrying out the project, if any, representing their shares of the costs of said project, all of which grants and payments shall be applied to the project. Request of Town Manager.

Motion by Mr. Morris: "I move that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Sewer Commissioners acting for and on behalf of the Town to install and construct a sewer main or mains in such locations as the Sewer Commissioners may determine from the vicinity of Eames Street to the Metropolitan District Commission sewer line at the Woburn City Line, and in Eames Street, subject to the assessment of betterments in accordance with Chapter 297 of the Acts of 1958, and all acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto, or otherwise, and to acquire any fee, easement or other interest in land necessary therefor; that the Town Manager be and hereby is authorized to execute contracts in the name of the Town in connection therewith and further, apply for, accept and expend Federal and State aid with respect to the foregoing project; that to finance the foregoing project the sum of \$250,000 is hereby appropriated; that to meet said appropriation the sum of \$5,000 shall be included in the current tax levy and the Treasurer with the approval of the Board of Selectmen is authorized to borrow \$245,000 under General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 7, Clause (1), and/or in accordance with Chapter 297, Acts of 1958, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor at one time or from time to time, each issue of such bonds or notes to be payable within 20 years from its date, provided that the total borrowing authorized hereby shall be reduced by the amount of any Federal and State construction grants obtained prior to the sale of such bonds or notes for the purpose of carrying out the project, if any, representing their share of the costs of said project, all of which grants and payments shall be applied to the project, provided that no sum shall be borrowed pursuant to this vote until the Town shall have entered into agreements for Federal and State funds for the project." Finance Committee approved the motion. After a lengthy discussion the vote was taken by standing: Yes - 233 No - 8. Motion carries and so declared by the Moderator.

At this point in the meeting a motion to recess (time 6:10 p.m.) to 7:30 p.m. was voted.

There were 453 voters checked in at this meeting.

The Moderator called the meeting to order at 7:45 p.m. there being a quorum present.

ARTICLE 62. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of developing a wellfield and for the construction and equipping of a pumping station on land acquired by the Town for said purposes and to determine how said appropriation shall be raised whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Water and Sewer Commissioners.

Motion by Mr. Vincent R. McLain: "I move that the sum of \$120,000 is hereby appropriated for the purpose of developing a wellfield, for wells and for the construction and equipment of a pumping station on land acquired by the town off Salem Street for said purposes, and that said appropriation be raised by transfer of \$40,973.88 from Water Department Account #1177 entitled Development of Three Well Sites, by transfer of \$22,276.12 from Water Available Surplus, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen is hereby authorized to borrow a sum or sums not to exceed in the aggregate \$56,750.00 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 8, clauses (4 and 5), of the General Laws as amended and supplemented and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor at one time or from time to time, each issue of such bonds or notes to be payable in not more than fifteen (15) years from its date." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by voice and declared unanimous by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 63. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of laying a water main in Royal Street, previously known as Highland Road, of not less than six inches but less than sixteen inches in diameter, in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Water & Sewer Commissioners acting under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 40, Sections 42G to 42I inclusive, and determine how the appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Water and Sewer Commissioners.

Motion by Mr. Arnold Blake: "I move that the Town vote to appropriate \$8,000.00 for the purpose of laying water mains of not less than 6 inches but less than 16 inches in diameter in Royal Street, previously known as Highland Road, in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Water Commissioners acting under the provisions of G. L. Chapter 40, Section 42G to 42I inclusive, and that said appropriation be raised by transfer from the following accounts:

\$1192.01 from Water Department Account #1150 - Ainsworth Road Betterment Account;

\$1103.31 from Water Department Account #1160 - Sudbury Avenue Betterment Account;

\$5704.67 from Water Department Account #1165 - Chestnut Street Wellfield Account.

Finance Committee approved. Voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 64. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of laying water mains of not less than six inches but less than sixteen inches in diameter in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners acting under the provisions of General Laws Chapter 40, Sections 42G to 42I inclusive for the purpose of transmitting water from the Salem Street wellfield and pumping station to the Shawsheen Avenue wellfield and pumping station and for distributing said water, and further to determine how said appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Water and Sewer Commissioners.

Motion by Mr. McLain: "I move that the Town vote to raise and appropriate \$320,000 for the purpose of laying Water mains of not less than 6 inches but less than 16 inches in diameter in accordance with the recommendations of the Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners acting under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 42G to 42I inclusive for the purpose of transmitting water from the Salem Street wellfield and pumping station, and for distribution of said water, and that the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, is hereby authorized to borrow a sum or sums not to exceed in the aggregate \$320,000 under and pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 8, clause (5) of the General Laws as amended and supplemented and to issue the bonds or notes of the Town therefor at one time or from time to time, each issue of such bonds or notes to be payable in not more than 15 years from its date. Finance Committee approved. Voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 65. To see if the Town will vote to retain, in essence the present system of longevity increments but limit it to employees in the service of the Town as of April 1, 1969, and to institute under the Town Manager a system of flat payments to individual employees who are hired after April 1, 1969 regardless of the position held. Request of Town Manager.

Motion by Mr. Morris to pass over Article 65 and take no action. Voted to take no action.

ARTICLE 66. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell to Jackson Bros., Inc., 15 Harris Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts the following parcels of town-owned land located off Nichols Street, shown on the Board of Assessors Records as:

Map 35 Parcel 38 containing about 2,125 square feet;

Map 35 Parcel 41A containing about 20,000 square feet;

Map 35 Parcel 52 containing about 8,000 square feet;

Map 35 Parcel 62 containing about 24,375 square feet;

Map 35 Parcel 73 containing about 13,800 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 99 containing about 2,125 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 102 containing about 11,000 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 116 containing about 7,350 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 118 containing about 2,250 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 124A containing about 3,200 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 132 containing about 2,300 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 133 containing about 3,300 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 134 containing about 3,700 square feet;

Map 36 Parcel 136 containing about 26,125 square feet; or do anything in relation thereto.

Request of Stanley Webber et al.

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Motion by Mr. Roland I. Wood: "I move that the Town authorize and direct the Board of Selectmen to sell and convey to Jackson Brothers, Inc., 15 Harris Street, Wilmington, Massachusetts, the following parcels of town-owned land located off Nichols Street, and shown on the Board of Assessors Records as follows:

- Map 35 Parcel 38 containing about 2,125 square feet;
- Map 35 Parcel 41A containing about 20,000 square feet;
- Map 35 Parcel 52 containing about 8,000 square feet;
- Map 35 Parcel 62 containing about 24,375 square feet;
- Map 35 Parcel 73 containing about 13,800 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 99 containing about 2,125 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 102 containing about 11,000 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 116 containing about 7,350 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 118 containing about 2,250 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 125A containing about 3,200 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 132 containing about 2,300 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 133 containing about 3,300 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 134 containing about 3,700 square feet;
- Map 36 Parcel 136 containing about 26,125 square feet.

The consideration for said sale and conveyance not to exceed the price of thirty-one hundred (\$3,100.00) dollars." Amendment by Mr. Boylen: "I move that the Town vote to amend Article 66 to authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell the previously described parcels of town-owned land on such terms, conditions and for such price as may be determined by the Selectmen, being not less than \$3,100.00 within one year." The Finance Committee approved the motion as amended. The amendment was voted unanimously. The main motion as amended was voted unanimously.

Mr. Lefaver moved that Article 68 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting be considered out of order; that is, immediately prior to Article 67 thereof.. So voted.

Mr. Alan Altman took the chair as Moderator pro-tem for Articles #67 and #68.

ARTICLE 68. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Law by adding at the end of paragraph 3b in subsection A of Section III-3 the following: 'or a sanitary disposal system to serve said premises, the plans and specifications of which shall be approved by the Board of Health so that said paragraph 3b, as amended, will read as follows:

- b. The minimum lot size shall be 120,000 square feet having a minimum frontage of 300 feet along a public way of the Town. The gross ground floor area of all buildings, including covered walkways and carports, shall not exceed forty (40) per cent of the gross of the lot; and shall connect with a municipal sanitary sewer, or a sanitary disposal system to serve said premises, the plans and specifications of which shall be approved by the Board of Health;' or do anything in relation thereto.

Request of Ethel B. Smith, et al.

Motion by Mr. Howard I. Lafaver: "I move that the Town vote to amend its Zoning By-Law by adding at the end of paragraph 3b in subsection A of Section III-3 the following: 'or a sanitary disposal system to serve said premises, the plans and specifications of which shall be approved by the Board of Health, provided, however, that the Board of Appeals, acting in accordance with the provisions of Section VIII-2 of this (town) By--Law, and after a favorable report of the Sewer Commissioners may determine that access to a municipal sewer would constitute a hardship. In the event that such a determination be forthcoming, the Board of Health shall provide such regulations as it deems necessary for the installation and maintenance of a sewerage treatment system to be located within the bounds of the property as an accessory to the use of the land, so that said paragraph 3b, as amended, will read as follows:

- b. The minimum lot size shall be 120,000 square feet, having a minimum frontage of 300 feet along a public way of the Town. The gross ground floor area of all buildings, including covered walkways and carports, shall not exceed forty (40) per cent of the gross of the lot; and shall connect with a municipal sanitary sewer, or a sanitary disposal system to serve said premises, the plans and specifications of which shall be approved by the Board of Health. Provided, however, that the Board of Appeals, acting in accordance with the provisions of Section VIII-2 of this town By-Law, and after a favorable report of the Sewer Commissioners may determine that access to a municipal sewer would constitute a hardship. In the event that such a determination be forthcoming, the Board of Health shall provide such regulations as it deems necessary for the installation and maintenance of a sewerage treatment system to be located within the bounds of the property as an accessory to the use of the land.'

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Finance Committee disapproved. Amendment by Planning Board, by Mr. Hooper: "I move to amend Article 68 by striking out the period after the words 'sanitary sewer' and add the following:

Provided, however, that the Board of Appeals, acting in accordance with the provisions of Section VIII-2 of this By-Law and after a report of the Sewer Commissioners, may determine that access to a municipal sewer would constitute a hardship. In the event that such a determination be forthcoming, the Board of Health shall provide such regulations as it deems necessary for the installation and maintenance of a sewage treatment system to be located within the bounds of the property as an accessory use of the land.'

Amendment voted unanimously. Main motion as amended voted unanimously.

ARTICLE 67. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Law and Zoning By-Law Map by rezoning from Single Residence A District to an Industrial District the following described premises: The land in Wilmington situated on the southerly side of Concord Street, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Concord Street at the Wilmington and North Reading boundary line, thence, Westerly by the southerly line of said Concord Street 379 feet, more or less, to a point at land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; thence, southwesterly along said land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts sometimes known as Interstate Route 93, by four courses, 162 feet, more or less, 326 feet, more or less, and 230 feet, more or less to a point; thence, Southerly along said land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 1325 feet, more or less, to the Ipswich River, thence, Easterly along said Ipswich River, 100 feet, more or less to a point at land now or formerly of Laura Realty Trust; thence, Northerly along said land of Laura Realty Trust, 1600 feet, more or less to a point at land now or formerly of Diaz; thence Easterly along said Diaz land 425 feet, more or less, to the Wilmington and North Reading boundary line; thence Northeasterly along the Wilmington and North Reading boundary line 508 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Ethel B. Smith, et al.

Motion by Mr. Lafaver: "I move that the Town vote to amend its Zoning By-Law and Zoning By-Law Map by rezoning from a Single Residence A District to a General Business District the following described premises: The land in Wilmington situated on the southerly side of Concord Street, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Concord Street at the Wilmington and North Reading boundary line, thence, Westerly by the southerly line of said Concord Street, 379 feet, more or less, to a point at land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; thence, Southwesterly along said land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts sometimes known as Interstate Route 93, by four courses, 162 feet, more or less, 326 feet, more or less, and 230 feet, more or less to a point; thence, Southerly along said land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 1325 feet, more or less, to the Ipswich River, thence, Easterly along said Ipswich River, 100 feet, more or less, to a point at land now or formerly of Laura Realty Trust; thence, Northerly along said land of Laura Realty Trust, 1600 feet, more or less to a point at land now or formerly of Diaz; thence easterly along said Diaz land 425 feet, more or less, to the Wilmington and North Reading boundary line; thence, Northeasterly along the Wilmington and North Reading boundary line 508 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning." Finance Committee approved. Planning Board reported approval to General Business. Motion voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 69. To see if the Town will vote to accept and receive as a gift for municipal purposes from the Silver Lake Betterment Association, Inc. a certain parcel of land situated in Wilmington in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts bounded and described as follows: Westerly by the State highway, one hundred five and 16/100 (105.16) feet; Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Dudley S. Purbeck, one hundred thirty-five and 64/100 (135.64) feet; Northeasterly by lot 7, eighty-six (86) feet; Southeasterly by Williams Avenue, one hundred ninety-six and 12/100 (196.12) feet. All of said boundaries are determined by the Land Court to be located as shown on plan 4312A, drawn by J. Lewis Carr, C.E., dated April 1913, as approved by the Court, filed in the Land Registration Office, a copy of a portion of which is filed with Certificate of Title 425, and said land is shown as Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 on said plan and being subject to restrictions of record; or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. MacDonald who moved the adoption of Article 69 as laid out above with the amendment as voted 'by adding the words "of Massachusetts" after the word Commonwealth' said motion as amended was voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

After action on Article 69 was completed, Mr. MacNamara moved the meeting reconsider Article 60. Motion lost.

ARTICLE 70. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring the following described parcel of land for municipal purposes and determine how said appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise; and further to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen: (a) To purchase, take by eminent domain, or

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receive as a gift for said purposes a certain parcel of land owned by the Wilmington Grange Hall Corporation described as follows: Beginning at a stake and stones on Wildwood Street at land now or formerly of Elizabeth Howard; thence Southwesterly by said Howard's land, one hundred seventy (170) feet to an angle, thence a little more Westerly - one hundred thirty (130) feet to a stake at a corner of land now or formerly of James E. Kelley; thence Northwesterly by said Kelley's land, ninety-two and 4/10 (92.4) feet to the end of a ditch; thence a little more Northerly by said ditch, one hundred eighty-four and 8/10 (184.8) feet, more or less to an angle, thence a little more Westerly by said ditch, sixty and 3/10 (60.3) feet to a stake at the corner where two ditches meet; thence Northwesterly in a straight line to a corner of a fence at other land of said Kelley; thence Northeasterly by and with last mentioned land and other land now or formerly of Nichols, three hundred forty-one (341) feet, more or less to a stake on the westerly line of Wildwood Street; thence Southeasterly by and on the line of said Street, four hundred forty (440) feet, more or less, to the stake at the point of beginning. Excepting however, from the above-described premises so much thereof as was conveyed by the Wilmington Grange Hall Corporation to Charles Roessler by deed dated April 25, 1927, recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 749, Page 254. Also excepting however, from the above-described premises so much thereof as was conveyed by the Wilmington Grange Hall Corporation to the Town of Wilmington and/or as was taken by the Town of Wilmington by eminent domain; (b) to convey to the Wilmington Grange Hall Corporation as additional and complete consideration a certain parcel of Town-owned property described as follows: Easterly by Main Street, three hundred forty-three (343) feet, more or less Northerly by land now or formerly of Montague, four hundred (400) feet, more or less; Southerly by land now or formerly of George Griffith, four hundred (400) feet, more or less; Westerly by land now or formerly of Northeast Live Stock Company, three hundred forty-three (343) feet, more or less; or however otherwise said parcel may be bounded, measured or described, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. Miceli: "I move that the Town vote to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring the following described parcel of land for municipal purposes and authorize the Selectmen (a) to purchase, take by eminent domain, or receive as a gift for said purposes a certain parcel of land owned by the Wilmington Grange Hall Corporation and described as laid out in the Article 70 above and (b) To convey to the Wilmington Grange Hall Corporation as additional and complete consideration a certain parcel of Town-owned property also described in the above Article 70 or however otherwise said parcel may be bounded, measured or described." Finance Committee approved \$10,000.00 by taxation. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 228 No - 2 Motion carried.

ARTICLE 71. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of acquiring the following described parcel of land for recreational purposes and determine how said appropriation shall be raised, whether by taxation, by transfer from available funds, by borrowing or otherwise; and further to see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to purchase, take by eminent domain or receive as a gift for said purposes, a certain parcel of land consisting of three parcels and bounded and described as follows:

PARCEL 1. Beginning at a point at land now or formerly of the Silver Lake Literary Association and Grove Avenue, fifty-eight (58) feet to the corner of the second parcel hereafter described; thence Northwesterly by said parcel, sixty-one (61) feet to Silver Lake; thence Southwesterly by the shore of the said Lake, ninety-six and 5/10 (96.5) feet to land now or formerly of the Union Ice Company, thence Southeasterly ninety-one (91) feet by land of said Union Ice Company and of said Literary Association to said Grove Avenue and the point of beginning.

PARCEL 2. Beginning at the Northeasterly corner of the first described parcel on Grove Avenue; thence Northeasterly by said Avenue, thirty (30) feet to a corner at other land now or formerly of Sherizi, thence Northwesterly by said other land now or formerly of Sherizi, fifty-eight (58) feet to Silver Lake; thence Southwesterly by said Lake, six (6) feet to the northerly corner of the first described parcel; thence Southeasterly sixty-one (61) feet by said first parcel to Grove Avenue and the point of beginning.

PARCEL 3. Beginning at the Northeasterly corner of said parcel on said Grove Avenue and thence Northeasterly on said Avenue, fifty-four (54) feet to land now or formerly of Barker; thence Northwesterly by land now or formerly of said Barker, thirty-seven (37) feet to said Silver Lake; thence Southwesterly by the shore of said Lake; sixty-four (64) feet, more or less, to the corner of said second parcel; thence Southeasterly by said second parcel, fifty-eight (58) feet to said Grove Avenue and the point of beginning; or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen and Town Manager.

Motion by Mr. Bruce MacDonald: "I move that the Town vote to transfer from the sale of Town-owned lands account the sum of \$19,259.77 and to raise by taxation and appropriate the sum of \$12,740.23 for the purpose of acquiring the above described parcel of land for recreational purposes; and authorize the Selectmen to

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purchase, take by eminent domain or receive as a gift for said purposes, a certain parcel of land consisting of three parcels and bounded and described in Article 71 above. Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 242 No - 1 Motion carried.

ARTICLE 72. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Map by changing from Neighborhood Business District to General Business District the following described parcel of land: Beginning at the northerly corner of the property, at the corner of Lowell Street and Woburn Street, the line runs along the easterly side of Woburn Street four hundred fifty-six and 28/100 (456.28) feet; thence the line turns and runs in an easterly direction by several courses, sixty four and 21/100 (64.21) feet, seventy four and 88/100 (74.88) feet, thirty eight and 26/100 (38.26) feet and three hundred eighty-two and 27/100 (382.27) feet; thence the line turns and runs in a northerly direction five hundred forty seven and 63/100 feet to the southerly side of Lowell Street, thence the line turns and runs along the southerly side of Lowell Street five hundred sixty seven and 08/100 (567.08) feet to the point of beginning, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Thomas W. Gardner et al.

Motion by Mr. John Lucci: "I move that the town vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws and Map by changing from Neighborhood Business District to General Business District the following described parcel of land: Beginning at the northerly corner of the property, at the corner of Lowell Street and Woburn Street, the line runs along the easterly side of Woburn Street four hundred fifty-six and 28/100 (456.28) feet; thence the line turns and runs in an easterly direction by several courses, sixty-four and 21/100 (64.21) feet, seventy four and 88/100 (74.88) feet, thirty eight and 26/100 (38.26) feet and three hundred eighty two and 27/100 (382.27) feet; thence the line turns and runs in a northerly direction five hundred forty seven and 63/100 (547.63) feet to the southerly side of Lowell Street; thence the line turns and runs along the southerly side of Lowell Street five hundred sixty seven and 08/100 (567.08) feet to the point of beginning." Finance Committee disapproved. Planning Board reported disapproval. Voted by standing: Yes - 194 No - 40 Motion carries.

ARTICLE 73. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to execute a confirmatory deed to Fructuoso T. Carrasco in order to correct an error in description of the land conveyed which was authorized by Article 10, of the Special Town Meeting held on August 8, 1957, concerning a triangular parcel of land owned by the Town situated on Adams Street and containing approximately 19,200 square feet of land, more or less, and being shown as Parcel A on "Plan of Land in Wilmington, Massachusetts, December 11, 1967, K. J. Miller Co.", which plan has been recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds Book of Plans 107, Plan 62 to which reference is made for a more particular description; and further to see if the Town will vote to accept a deed of easement 10' in width and parallel with the side line of Adams Street as described in deed recorded in said Deeds, Book 1868, Page 61, and ratify and confirm the same, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Board of Selectmen.

Motion by Mr. James Banda: "I move that the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen to execute a confirmatory deed to Fructuoso T. Carrasco in order to correct an error in description of the land conveyed which was authorized by Article 10 of the Special Town Meeting held on August 8, 1957, concerning a triangular parcel of land owned by the Town situated on Adams Street and containing approximately 19,200 square feet of land, more or less, and being shown as Parcel A on "Plan of Land in Wilmington, Massachusetts, December 11, 1967, K. J. Miller Company", which plan has been recorded in the Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds Book of Plans 107, Plan 62 to which reference is made for a more particular description; and further that the Town vote to accept a deed of easement 10' in width and parallel with the side line of Adams Street as described in deed recorded in said Deeds, Book 1868, Page 61, and ratify and confirm the same." Finance Committee approved. Motion voted unanimously and so declared by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 74. To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws to provide for Garden Apartment districts and regulating the same according to the following Zoning By-Law changes to wit:

In order to provide for garden apartment districts and regulating the same in the Town of Wilmington, the following proposals to amend the town's by-laws are made:

- I. A proposal to add to Section I, Subsection I-2, paragraph A, thereof, under the caption "ESTABLISHMENT AND LOCATION OF DISTRICTS", the following new district:
  7. Garden Apartment Districts (A).
- II. A proposal to add to Section II thereof, under the caption "Definitions", the following new definitions:

ARTICLE 74. (continued)

8. Story - that portion of a building contained between any floor and the floor or roof next above it, but not including the lowest portion so contained if more than one-half of such portion vertically is below the mean finished grade of the ground adjoining such building.

9. Half Story - A story directly under a sloping roof in which the points of intersection of the bottom of the rafters and the interior faces of the walls are less than three feet above the floor level.

10. Front Yard - The open space between a building and the exterior line of each street on which the lot on which it stands abuts.

11. Side and Rear Yard - The open space at the sides and rear of a building and the boundaries, other than streets, of the lot on which it stands.

12. Sanitary Sewer - A public sanitary sewer of the Town of Wilmington.

13. Municipal - The word 'municipal' means the Town of Wilmington.

14. Public - The word 'public' means the Town of Wilmington.

15. Fire Lane - An open space in which no motor vehicles may be parked and in which no structure may be erected without written permission from the Head of the Wilmington Fire Department. The open space shall be between a building and a line parallel to and fifteen feet distant from a building.

III. A proposal to add to Section III thereof, under the caption "USE REGULATIONS" the following new section:

III-5. USES IN GARDEN APARTMENT DISTRICTS.

A. In a Garden Apartment District, the following uses are hereby permitted:

1. All buildings and uses that are permitted in Single Residence A districts but subject to any conditions and restrictions set forth therein.

2. Garden apartments subject to the following conditions:

a. There shall be at least six detached or semi-detached buildings and no such building shall contain less than four nor more than twelve dwelling units, and each such unit shall have independent cooking facilities; and shall contain no more than two sleeping rooms;

b. No living quarters shall be permitted above three stories in height nor more than one-half the depth of a story below the mean finished grade.

c. There shall be a minimum distance of thirty feet between buildings and each building shall be surrounded by a fire lane, subject, however, to the provision that buildings may be inter-connected by enclosed corridors or walkways if provision is made for access by fire apparatus to all outside walls. The minimum distance of thirty feet between buildings may also be construed as the fifteen foot fire lane for each of two buildings;

d. The buildings shall connect with a sanitary sewer.

3. Buildings accessory to garden apartments.

IV. A proposal to add to Section IV thereof, under the caption "SPECIAL REGULATIONS GOVERNING USE DISTRICTS", the following:

A. In subsection IV-3, under the caption "OFF STREET PARKING" at the end of the first sentence of paragraph 'A' delete the period, substitute a comma therefore, and add the phrase "except as noted."

B. At the end of paragraph 'A', add the following new specification:

12. For garden apartments, one and one-half spaces on the premises for each dwelling unit, and reasonably accessible thereto.

C. In subsection IV-4, under the caption "SCREENING OF OPEN USES," at the end of the first sentence delete the period, substitute a comma therefore, and add the phrase "or a Garden Apartment District."

V. A proposal to add to Section V, subsection V-1, thereof, under the caption "HEIGHT, AREA, AND YARD REGULATIONS", the following new schedule of requirements:

A. Under the heading "District", the words "Garden Apartment (GA);

B. Under the heading "Minimum Lot Area for Use Permitted without Appeal", the words "130,000 square feet,"

C. Under the heading "Minimum Lot Area for Use on Appeal," the words, "130,000 square feet";

D. Under the heading "Minimum Lot Frontage for use Permitted without Appeal", the words "200 feet."

E. Under the heading "Minimum Lot Frontage for Use Permitted on Appeal," the words "200 feet."

F. Under the heading "Maximum Height" the words "3 stories or 38 feet,"

G. Under the heading "Minimum Set-back from Center Line of Street," the words "50 feet", "Note - 'street' shall be construed as that outside or abutting on the lot within which said buildings are contained.

H. Under the heading "Minimum Front Yard Depth" the words "30 feet;"

I. Under the heading "Minimum Width for Each Side-yard," the words "15 feet;"

J. Under the heading "Minimum Rear Yard Depth" the words "30 feet;"

K. Under the heading "Minimum Lot Depth" the words "300 feet";

L. Under the heading "Maximum Lot Coverage for Buildings or Structures," the word "Land area shall not be less than 1,500 square feet per dwelling unit containing one sleeping room, and 2,000 square feet per dwelling unit containing two sleeping units."

VI. A proposal to add to Section V, Subsection V-4, under the caption "SET-BACK AND YARDS", the following:

ARTICLE 74. (continued)

In paragraph D, in the first sentence, after the phrase "in any District" and before the word "no", insert the words "except in a GA District," or do or act anything in relation thereto. Request of Robert J. Woods, et al.

Motion by Mr. Alan E. Fenton (the Moderator asked Mr. Fenton if his motion was worded exactly as the article and Mr. Fenton said yes, therefor he did not read his motion upon advice of the Moderator). Finance Committee disapproved. Planning Board reported disapproval. A lengthy discussion followed. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 65 No - 144 Motion lost.

ARTICLE 75. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Map by changing from Single Residence A District to Garden Apartment District (A), the following described parcel of land, to wit: Being the land of Harold E. Smith, on a plan entitled, "Plan of Land in Wilmington, Massachusetts, dated May 13, 1968", Dana F. Perkins & Son, Inc., Civil Engineers and Surveyors, Reading and Lowell, Mass. being further bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Woburn Street, 220.60 feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Robert H. Barrows, Dana B. Barrows, Administrator and land now or formerly of Walpole Woodworkers, Inc., 850.38 feet; Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Chesley L. and Elva C. Black, 256.33 feet; Northeasterly by other land of said Smith by two courses, respectively measuring 328.12 feet and 131.82 feet; Easterly by land now or formerly of John S. and Catherine A. Zwicker, 125 feet and Northerly still by land of said Zwicker, 180 feet. Containing 3.97 acres of land, more or less, or do or act anything in relation thereto. Request of Alan E. Fenton et al. Finance Committee disapproved. Planning Board reported disapproval. Motion by Mr. Fenton to pass over this article and take no action. This was so voted.

Motion to reconsider Article 74 was lost.

ARTICLE 76. To have the Town Meeting vote for a sub-fire station, to be erected at Silver Lake or the North Wilmington area; to direct the Pemanent Building Committee to make plans for it at either location; to raise from taxes, or from borrowing from other accounts, the sum of Ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for plans and land acquisition. Request of Felice P. Vitale et al.

Mr. Vitale moved the adoption of the above article. Finance Committee disapproved. Vote taken by voice and declared lost by the Moderator.

ARTICLE 77. This article was disposed of earlier in the meeting.

ARTICLE 78. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000 by transfer from available funds or by taxation which shall be deposited in a stabilization fund account in accordance with the authority of G. L. Chapter 40, Section 5B as amended, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of the Town Manager.

Mr. Morris moved that the town pass over this article and take no action. So voted.

ARTICLE 79. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 108I of Chapter 41 of the General Laws providing for additional compensation for a policeman assigned to photographic or fingerprint identification work, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Police Department.

Motion by Mr. Boylen: "I move that the Town vote to accept Section 108I of Chapter 41 of the General Laws providing for additional compensation for one policeman assigned to photographic and fingerprint identification work." Finance Committee approved. Vote taken by voice and it was unanimous.

ARTICLE 80. To see if the Town will vote how much money will be appropriated by means of taxation or from available funds for the purpose of fencing or installing underground drainage for the ditch that runs from Chapman Avenue through Sheridan Road, or do anything in relation thereto. Request of Joseph A. Maiella et al.

Mr. Maiella moved the adoption of the above article. Finance Committee disapproved. Voice vote taken and declared lost. Seven voters rose to doubt the vote. Vote taken by standing: Yes - 65 No - 86 Lost.

Mr. Enos asked the Town Meeting to stand as a vote of confidence because of the gentlemanly way Mr. Callan handled his first meeting. The meeting rose and applauded for several minutes.

Motion to adjourn came at 10:50 p.m. Adjourned. There were 280 voters checked in at this meeting.

TOTAL APPROPRIATED. . . . . \$6,828,536.91

BY TAXATION . . . . .	\$5,498,940.82
BY TRANSFER . . . . .	610,846.09
BY BORROWING. . . . .	<u>718,750.00</u>
	\$6,828,536.91

A true copy:  
Attest:

(Mrs.) Esther L. Russell  
Town Clerk

# Town Accountant

## ANALYSIS OF CASH ACCOUNT Year Ending 12/31/69

Balance as of January 1, 1969		973,413.08
Add: Cash Receipts 1969		<u>14,657,426.44</u>
		15,630,839.52
Deduct: Cash Expenditures 1969		<u>15,041,312.23</u>
Balance on Hand 12/31/69		589,527.29

## ANALYSIS OF CASH RECEIVED

### Tax Collections:

Prior Years Levies			
Personal Property	2,989.70		
Real Estate Taxes	<u>117,976.44</u>	120,966.14	
Current Levy			
Personal Property	125,752.77		
Real Estate Taxes	<u>4,056,781.70</u>	4,182,534.47	
Betterments Added to Taxes			
Water - Prior Levies	1,459.34		
- Current Levy	<u>7,482.92</u>	8,942.26	
Street - Prior Levies	251.53		
- Current Levy	<u>7,434.86</u>	7,686.39	
Water Liens Added to Taxes			
Prior Levies	1,402.99		
Current Levy	<u>8,309.06</u>	9,712.05	
Tax Titles & Possessions			
Tax Titles Redeemed		12,718.78	
Assessments Paid in Advance			
Water	5,246.10		
Street	<u>1,701.12</u>	6,947.22	
Unapportioned Assessments Paid In Advance			
Water		<u>769.99</u>	4,350,277.30

## AMOUNTS BORROWED

### Short Term Loans:

To Pay Expenditures of Town Departments			
Until Taxes are Collected	1,900,000.00		
Highway Loan Chapter 81 and 90	<u>24,625.00</u>	1,924,625.00	

### Long Term Loans:

Construct Nichols Street Bridge	31,600.00		
Develop Salem Street Well Field	<u>56,750.00</u>	<u>88,350.00</u>	2,012,975.00

# GRANTS AND GIFTS

## Federal Aid:

### Charities:

Medical Assistance		4,422.13	
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### Schools:

Federal Employment Act PL 874	47,743.00		
National Defense Education Act PL 88/65	4,469.85		
Smith-Hughes Vocational Fund PL 89/10	1,505.00		
Education Children Low-Income Families	9,162.00		
Teacher Aid Program PL 90/35	2,900.40		
Summer Reading Skills Program	8,913.00		
Head Start Program	10,980.00	85,673.25	

### Public Grants:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Chp. 81 & 90	33,822.06		
Middlesex County Chapter 90	7,348.52		
State Aid to Free Public Libraries	3,118.75	44,289.33	

### Private Industries Grant:

Reconstruction of Ballardvale Street	25,000.00		
Highway Improvement Loan Chp. 616 (State)	9,919.10	169,303.81	

# REVOLVING FUNDS

School Lunch Program	223,447.95		
High School Athletic Association	5,668.40	229,116.35	

# RESTRICTED RECEIPTS

Water Guaranteed Deposits		21,928.92	
<u>Water Department:</u>			
Water Rates	210,457.64		
Water Miscellaneous	2,740.06		
Water Miscellaneous & Installation Balances	942.12		
Water Available Surplus-Prior Year Refunded	46.86	214,186.68	
Refunds & Reimbursements (Appropriations)		36,825.77	
Refunds (Supplies Revenue)		422.35	
Petty Cash Refund		15.00	
Recording Fees		85.34	
Sale of Town Owned Land		550.00	
Group Insurance Dividend		1,351.00	
Accrued Interest, Sale of Bonds		85.12	
Sale of Cemetery Lots		5,255.00	
Cemetery Trust Fund Interest		2,665.30	
Veterans Aid Recoveries		1,809.50	
Carter Lecture Fund (Trust Fund Interest)		641.00	285,820.98

# AGENCY AND TRUST FUNDS

Short Term Investments-Treasury Bills		5,276,407.07	
<u>Employee Deductions:</u>			
Federal Withholding Taxes		594,382.15	
State Withholding Taxes		106,393.27	
Retirement System Deductions		66,937.01	
Group Insurance Deductions		4,304.55	
U.S. Savings Bonds Deductions		826.25	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield Deductions		39,306.56	
Cemetery Perpetual Care		300.00	
Fish & Game Licenses Collected for State		4,372.50	
Dog Licenses Collected for County Treasurer		3,510.50	6,096,739.86

# ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

<u>Income and Sales Tax:</u>			
Schools	379,022.65		
Valuation Basis Distribution	<u>159,633.37</u>	538,656.02	
Reimbursement - Loss of Taxes		431.34	
<u>Motor Vehicle Excise Collections:</u>			
Prior Levies	49,865.89		
Current Levy	<u>340,537.66</u>	390,403.55	
Farm Animal Excise Collections		213.69	
Sewer Rates		18,533.13	
Ambulance Collections		3,003.00	
Licenses, Liquor		4,000.00	
<u>Interests and Costs:</u>			
Short Term Investments	73,112.68		
Tax Collections	13,696.55		
Water Demands	3,529.34		
Tax Titles Redeemed	<u>1,564.17</u>	91,902.74	
<u>Municipal Receipts:</u>			
Selectmen	355.50		
Collector	1,142.17		
Town Clerk	4,545.56		
Planning Board	30.00		
Police Department	1,370.00		
Building Inspector:			
Building Permits	6,979.79		
Wiring Permits	2,633.50		
Gas Installation Permits	<u>770.50</u>	10,383.79	
Sealer of Weights & Measures	370.60		
Town Engineer	222.00		
Highway Dept. Snow Plowing Reimb.	4,981.04		
Cemetery Department	6,187.67		
Health & Sanitation:			
Public Health Nurse	279.00		
Plumbing Permits	1,360.00		
Licenses and Permits	1,303.00		
Rabbies Clinic	764.35		
Home Visit Reimb.-State	<u>846.09</u>	4,552.44	
<u>Charities:</u>			
General Relief	798.04		
Disability Assistance	84.46		
Aid To Families With Depend. Child.	117.00		
Medical Assistance	<u>7,435.58</u>	8,435.08	
Veterans Benefits		42,374.41	
<u>Schools:</u>			
Div. of Child Guardianship	13,296.12		
Transportation	54,657.34		
Evening School Fees	535.80		
Vocational Educ. Receipts	1,873.09		
Driver Education Fees	1,750.00		
Miscellaneous Receipts	145.50		
School Construction Reimb.	239,512.53		
Special Education	<u>51,051.13</u>	362,821.51	
Recreation Department		<u>67.00</u>	447,838.77
Insurance Claims & Reimb.			5,655.47
New England Tel. & Te. Comm.			96.93
Third District Court Fines			15.00
Fourth District Court Fines			4,108.00
Middlesex House of Correction			199.00
Employees Comp. State With. Tax			287.80
Dog License Reimb.			1,847.16
Library Fines			1,210.54
Sale of Dogs			191.00
State Reimb. Pur. of Conservation Lands			<u>46,000.00</u>
Total Receipts for Year Ending 12/31/69			<u>1,513,193.14</u> <u>14,657,426.44</u>

DISBURSEMENTS FROM GENERAL ACCOUNTS  
ANALYSIS OF EXPENDITURES OTHER THAN THAT RAISED FROM  
APPROPRIATION FOR THE YEAR ENDING 12/31/69

Refunds:			
Real Estate Taxes		24,615.02	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes		11,466.48	
Motor Vehicle Registry Releases		62.00	
Tax Titles Refunded		531.76	
Tax Title Recording Fees		76.00	
Street Assessments		26.09	
Committed Street Interest		94.45	
Water Assessments		17.96	
Committed Water Interest		77.48	
Unapportioned Water Assessments		167.77	
Sale of Town Owned Land Recording Fees		9.34	
Water Department:			
Rates	570.61		
Water Liens	100.21		
Water Guaranteed Deposits	1,444.90		
Sewer Rates	15.15	2,130.87	
Estimated Receipts		177.51	39,452.73
Assessments - State & County			
County Tax	101,056.69		
County Hospital	5,834.06		
County Retirement	86,717.50	193,608.25	
State Recreation Areas	18,948.65		
Motor Vehicle Excise Bills	1,529.70	20,478.35	
M.D.C. Sewer	46,282.82		
M.D.C. Sewer Connectors	7,660.14		
M.B.T.A.	32,312.49		
Metropolitan Area Planning Counsel	644.47	86,899.92	
Inswich River Water Shed		551.77	301,538.29
Water Department			
Maintenance & Operation		170,300.20	
Water Betterments - Royal Street		5,220.14	
Well Fields:			
Salem Street	14,747.75		
Main Street	1,822.56		
Butters Row	2,100.00		
Develop Three Well Sites	29,881.30	48,551.61	224,071.95
Street Betterments			
Jere Road		959.20	
Elwood Road		3,150.42	4,109.62
Legal Settlements			56,343.02
Temporary Loans:			
Anticipation of Taxes		1,900,000.00	
Anticipation of Reimb. (Highway)		74,025.00	1,974,025.00
Employee Deductions:			
Federal Withholding Tax		595,275.64	
State Withholding Tax		106,393.27	
Retirement Deductions		66,937.01	
Group Insurance		4,141.56	
U.S. Savings Bonds		826.25	
Blue Cross/Blue Shield		38,690.98	812,264.61
Agency Accounts:			
Dog Licenses Due the County		3,619.50	
Fish and Game Licenses Due the State		4,372.50	7,992.00
Tailings - Unclaimed Checks			7.50
U.S. Treasury Bills (Investments)			4,266,445.78
Carter Lecture Fund			641.00

Federal Grants & Aids			
Charities			
Medical Assistance Aid		5,657.51	
Schools			
George Barden Fund 88/210	1,720.27		
Federal Employment Act PL 874	69,531.20		
Teacher Aid Program PL 90/35	2,714.63		
Head Start Program	9,782.84		
Saturday Reading Program	12,790.42		
Summer Reading Program	8,041.67	104,581.03	110,238.54
School Lunch Program			237,380.04
High School Athletic Association			8,072.92
Cemetery Trust Funds			300.00
Sale of Cemetery Lots (Refund)			60.00
Purchase Land School Sites			9,150.00
Woburn Street School Addition			5,995.32
Shawsheen Avenue School			1,049,066.62
Wilmington Memorial Library			103,941.93
Construct Nichols Street Bridge			29,097.60
Reconstruction of Ballardvale Street			24,998.98
Total Expenditures from General Accounts			<u>9,265,193.55</u>

COMPARISON OF ESTIMATED RECEIPTS  
USED BY THE ASSESSORS IN SETTING THE 1969 TAX RATE  
WITH THE ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF THE YEAR 1969

	Used by the Assessors on the 1969 Rate	Actual 1969 Receipts	Receipts more than Estimated	Receipts less than Estimated
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise	372,028.58	378,861.97	6,833.39	
Licenses	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Fines	9,252.70	4,322.00		4,930.70
Special Assessments	13,447.24	9,263.09		4,184.15
General Government	6,536.11	6,056.98		479.13
Protection of Persons & Property	15,182.00	12,124.39		3,057.61
Highway	0.00	4,981.04	4,981.04	
Cemeteries (Other than Trust Funds) and Sale of Cemetery Lots)	6,735.00	6,152.67		582.33
Health and Sanitation	6,231.53	4,552.44		1,679.09
Library (Local Receipts)	1,453.60	1,210.54		243.06
Interests & Costs	56,977.71	91,901.03	34,923.32	
Farm Animal Excise	254.99	213.69		41.30
Ambulance Collections	1,702.00	3,003.00	1,310.00	
Adult Evening Tuition	2,928.60	2,235.80		692.80
Sewer Revenue	16,109.50	18,517.98	2,408.48	
Miscellaneous Receipts	6,087.51	8,501.86	2,414.35	
State Estimated Receipts	996,087.63	954,770.06		41,317.57
	<u>1,515,014.70</u>	<u>1,510,668.54</u>	<u>52,870.58</u>	<u>57,207.74</u>

ANALYSIS OF THE MATURING DEBT

	<u>Balances</u> <u>1/1/69</u>	<u>Added</u> <u>1969</u>	<u>Paid-Off</u> <u>1969</u>	<u>Balances</u> <u>12/31/69</u>
<u>INSIDE DEBT LIMIT:</u>				
High School Loan Act 321/47				
\$265,000.00	20,000.00		10,000.00	10,000.00
Elementary School Loan-Wildwood School				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$512,000.00	125,000.00		25,000.00	100,000.00
Street Construction Bonds (1967)				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$17,600.00	11,600.00		6,000.00	5,600.00
Street Construction Bonds (1969)				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$40,300.00	40,300.00		13,500.00	26,800.00
Public Works Bldg. & Police Station				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$140,000.00	14,000.00		14,000.00	0.00
Wilmington Memorial Library				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$485,000.00	485,000.00		25,000.00	460,000.00
School Site Notes (1966)				
G/L 44, Sec. 10, \$21,675.00	7,000.00		7,000.00	0.00
Nichols Street Bridge Loan (1969)				
G/L 44, Sec. 7, \$31,600.00		31,600.00	0.00	31,600.00
	<u>702,900.00</u>	<u>31,600.00</u>	<u>100,500.00</u>	<u>634,000.00</u>
<u>OUTSIDE DEBT LIMIT:</u>				
High School Loan Act 321/47				
\$200,000.00	20,000.00		10,000.00	10,000.00
Add. & Alter Jr./Sr. High School				
Acts 645/48, \$1,375,000.00	445,000.00		70,000.00	375,000.00
Add. & Alter Jr./Sr. High School				
Acts 645/48, \$400,000.00	200,000.00		20,000.00	180,000.00
Glen Road School Acts 645/48				
\$450,000.00	200,000.00		25,000.00	175,000.00
Boutwell Street School, Acts				
645/48, \$400,000.00	220,000.00		20,000.00	200,000.00
North Intermediate School, Acts				
645/48, \$1,050,000.00	660,000.00		55,000.00	605,000.00
Various School Project Loans				
Acts 645/48, \$68,425.00	38,000.00		5,000.00	33,000.00
Woburn Street School, Acts				
645/48, \$597,000.00	442,000.00		30,000.00	412,000.00
West Intermediate School				
Acts 645/48, \$1,445,000.00	1,220,000.00		75,000.00	1,145,000.00
Woburn Street School Addition				
Acts 645/48, \$660,000.00	625,000.00		35,000.00	590,000.00
Woburn Street School Addition (1968)				
Acts 645/48, \$25,000.00	25,000.00		8,500.00	16,500.00
Shawsheen Avenue School, Acts				
645/48, \$1,674,720.00	1,674,720.00		119,720.00	1,555,000.00
Water Meters-Improve. Existing System				
& Betterments Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$145,000.00	21,000.00		7,000.00	14,000.00
Water Standpipe Bonds, Chp. 44,				
Sec. 8, \$152,000.00	50,000.00		10,000.00	40,000.00
Water Main Bonds (1958)				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$50,000.00	10,000.00		4,000.00	6,000.00
Water Bonds, New Well Field				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$90,000.00	20,000.00		10,000.00	10,000.00
Water Main Bonds (1962)				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$86,000.00	45,000.00		5,000.00	40,000.00
Water Main Bonds New Well Field				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$463,529.00	360,000.00		30,000.00	330,000.00
Salem Street Well Field				
Chp. 44, Sec. 8, \$56,750.00		56,750.00		56,750.00
	<u>6,275,720.00</u>	<u>56,750.00</u>	<u>539,220.00</u>	<u>5,793,250.00</u>
COMBINED TOTALS	<u>\$6,978,620.00</u>	<u>\$ 88,350.00</u>	<u>\$ 639,720.00</u>	<u>\$6,427,250.00</u>

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 1969

<u>ASSETS</u>			
Cash			589,527.29
Short Term Investments (Treasury Bills)			640,038.71
Petty Cash Advances			<u>340.00</u>
Taxes Uncollected:			1,229,906.00
Prior Levies			
Personal Property	(1967)	142.80	
	(1968)	498.75	
Real Estate Taxes	(1968)	<u>43,782.09</u>	44,423.64
Current Levy			
Personal Property	(1969)	58,265.48	
Real Estate Tax	(1969)	<u>200,435.64</u>	<u>258,701.12</u>
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes:			303,124.70
Prior Levies	(1963)	71.30	
	(1964)	135.58	
	(1965)	169.68	
	(1966)	495.02	
	(1967)	1,097.90	
	(1968)	<u>10,237.40</u>	12,206.88
Current Levy	(1969)		<u>35,570.79</u>
Tax Titles & Possessions:			
Tax Titles			112,289.35
Tax Possessions			<u>27,037.27</u>
Assessments Added to Taxes:			139,326.60
Street Assessments	(1968)	78.02	
	(1969)	<u>139.00</u>	217.02
Committed Street Interest	(1968)	52.28	
	(1969)	<u>76.92</u>	129.20
Water Assessments	(1968)	588.74	
	(1969)	<u>844.49</u>	1,433.23
Committed Water Interest	(1967)	.96	
	(1968)	388.90	
	(1969)	<u>534.41</u>	924.27
Unapportioned Water Betterments			2,703.70
Accounts Receivables:			6,057.30
Water Department			
Water Rates		20,435.75	
Water Miscellaneous		539.52	
Water Installation Balances		<u>620.27</u>	21,595.54
Water Liens	(1968)	582.37	
	(1969)	<u>1,835.72</u>	2,418.09
Sewer Rentals			
Highway Department			97.00
State Aid to Highways			66,753.21
County Aid to Highways			<u>24,064.11</u>
Ambulance Services			90,914.32
Unprovided for Accounts:			13,148.00
Overlay Deficits			
Levy	(1967)	124.10	
	(1968)	<u>1,162.00</u>	1,286.10
Assessment Underestimates	(1969)		
County Tax		8,796.42	
State Recreation Assessment		375.83	
Ipswich River Watershed District		<u>551.77</u>	9,724.02
Legal Settlements	(1969)		<u>7,050.00</u>
Due from School Lunch Revolving Fund			751.16
Appropriation Overdrafts:			
Police Salaries-Extra Help			617.99
Outlay-Police Cruiser Purchase			13.81
Fire Department Salaries-Call Fire			3,076.88
Sick Leave			<u>837.89</u>
Loans Authorized			4,546.57
			<u>805,260.00</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		106	<u>\$2,686,192.10</u>

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
BALANCE SHEET - DECEMBER 31, 1969

LIABILITIES & RESERVES

Temporary Loans, Anticipation of Reimbursement (Highway)			24,625.00
Employee Payroll Deductions:			
Group Insurance Deductions	324.37		
Blue Cross/Blue Shield-Town Employees	2,476.60		
Blue Cross/Blue Shield-Teachers	<u>271.17</u>		3,072.14
Water Guaranteed Deposits			2,355.28
Real Estate Taxes 1967, Collected in Excess			73.40
Agency Accounts:			
Dog Licenses Due the County			114.00
Tailings, Unclaimed Checks			3,851.59
Assigned Tax Titles			44.62
Accrued Interest, Sale of Bonds			85.12
Sale of Town Owned Land			550.00
Revolving Fund:			
High School Athletic Association			2,697.66
Federal Grants:			
Schools			
National Defense Education PL 85/864	37,222.82		
Federal Employment Act PL 874	40,312.28		
Teacher Aid Program PL 90/35	185.77		
Saturday Reading Program	51.58		
Summer Reading Skills	871.33		
Head Start Program	<u>1,304.50</u>		79,948.28
State Aid to Free Public Libraries			3,118.75
Group Insurance Dividend			2,143.77
Sale of Cemetery Lots			5,195.00
Appropriation Balances:			
Town Treasurer-Expenses	160.00		
-Tax Titles	<u>1,041.14</u>	1,201.14	
Town Collector-Expenses		103.00	
Planning Board-Outlay	286.40		
-Professional Services	<u>3,273.00</u>	3,559.40	
Fire Department-Fire Alarm Extension	1,739.28		
-Purchase 1,000 GPM Pumper	<u>35,000.00</u>	36,739.28	
Civil Defense		1,734.35	
Town Engineer -Expenses	46.46		
-Outlay	<u>713.07</u>	759.53	
Highway Dept. -Outlay	2,495.42		
-Sidewalks	<u>24,251.10</u>	26,746.52	
Chapter 90 Construction 1966	14,578.36		
1967	34,200.00		
1968	9,000.00		
1969	<u>9,450.00</u>	67,228.36	
Public Street Lights		1,296.66	
Cemetery Department-Expenses		3,000.00	
School Maintenance-Pur. Hot Water System	1,523.92		
-Outlay	3,760.00		
-Repairs to No. Inter. School	<u>6,161.36</u>	11,445.28	
School Grounds Maintenance-Outlay		2,100.00	
Maintenance of Town Buildings-Outlay	11,696.30		
-Renovation of Old Library	<u>6,348.59</u>	18,044.89	
Public Library-Expenses		16.70	
Recreation Account-Expenses		24.00	
Permanent Building Committee-Cont. Ser.		6,667.00	
Blue Cross and Insurance		2,191.77	
Appraisals		14,449.21	
Land for Recreation & Parks		4,000.00	
Purchase Wilmington Grange Hall		10,000.00	

# LIABILITIES & RESERVES

Purchase Land for Recreation-Silver Lake		32,000.00	
By-Law Study Committee		236.25	
Nichols Street Land Damages		1,775.00	
Recolate Shawsheen Avenue		3,000.00	
Construct Sewer Mains-Eames Street		5,000.00	
Aldrich Road Well Site		50.00	
Town Beach Improvements		1,138.65	
Repair Roof North Intermediate School		2,769.06	
Purchase Land, Prepare Plans for New Inter. School		1,810.00	
Construct 60 feet Addition-Highway Garage		9,994.68	269,080.73
Non Revenue Accounts:			
Purchase Land-School Sites		13,200.00	
Construct Woburn Street School		4,923.84	
Construct Woburn Street School Addition		44,220.43	
Construct Shawsheen Avenue School		436,409.18	
Construct Boutwell Street School		13.82	
Construct West Intermediate School		10,147.22	
Prepare Plans Elementary School		4,000.00	
Construct Wilmington Memorial Library		67,197.23	
Construct Nichols Street Bridge		4,502.40	
Water Betterments:			
Lawrence Street	877.00		
Royal Street	2,779.86	3,656.86	
Develop Salem Street Well Field		105,252.25	
Chestnut Street Well Field		5,859.44	
Main Street Well Field & Station		4,991.50	
Butters Row Well Site		1,130.00	
Develop Three Well Sites		8,373.50	
Street Betterments:			
Ferguson Road	8,166.44		
Jere Road	23.23		
Elwood Road	2,219.45	10,409.12	724,286.79
Loans Authorized and Unissued			805,260.00
Overestimates 1969 Assessments:			
M.D.C. Sewer Assessment		2,123.26	
M.B.T.A. Assessment		25.69	2,148.95
Overlays Reserved for Abatements:			
Levy of 1965		10,324.39	
Levy of 1966		55,247.46	
Levy of 1969		8,283.72	73,855.57
Revenue Reserved Until Collected:			
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise		47,777.67	
Special Assessments Revenue		8,761.06	
Tax Title Revenue		139,326.62	
Departmental Revenue		13,245.00	
Water Revenue		24,013.63	
Sewer Revenue		602.19	
State & County Aid to Highways Revenue		28,350.00	262,076.17
Reserve for Petty Cash Advances			340.00
Surplus Revenue:			
General		333,854.76	
Water Available Surplus		87,414.52	421,269.28
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND RESERVES			<u>\$2,686,192.10</u>

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES DURING 1969 FROM APPROPRIATIONS

SELECTMEN

Salaries	1,432.50
Printing Adv. & Binding	777.78
Legal Fees	0.00
Misc. Services	673.72
Town Meeting Expenses	1,904.50
Supplies Office	51.42
	<u>4,839.92</u>

ELECTIONS

Salaries	1,722.45
Printing Adv. & Binding	116.00
Misc. Services	42.49
Supplies Office	4.50
	<u>1,885.44</u>

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Salaries	3,164.59
Printing Adv. & Binding	490.00
Misc. Contr. Services	2,699.21
Supplies Office	0.00
	<u>6,353.80</u>

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Salaries	0.00
Misc. Contr. Services	46.00
Printing Adv. & Binding	2,728.50
Supplies Office	194.40
	<u>2,968.90</u>

TOWN MANAGER

Salaries	21,993.56
Printing Adv. & Binding	25.00
Misc. Services	405.34
Supplies Office	157.90
	<u>22,581.80</u>

INDUSTRIAL ACCOUNT

Printing Adv. & Binding	0.00
Misc. Services	141.50
Transportation	0.00
Supplies Office	34.40
	<u>175.90</u>

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Salaries	16,921.57
Misc. Services	43.00
Supplies Office	668.75
	<u>17,633.32</u>

TOWN TREASURER

Salaries	14,683.42
Misc. Services	146.00
Repairs & Maint.	59.00
Supplies Office	2,178.99
Tax Title Foreclosures	8,759.76
	<u>25,827.17</u>

TOWN COLLECTOR

Salaries	12,753.30
Printing Adv. & Binding	100.00
Dues Subs. & Misc. Serv.	203.00
Supplies Office	856.29
	<u>13,912.59</u>

TOWN CLERK

Salaries	14,087.03
Printing Adv. & Binding	37.00
Misc. Services	20.00
Supplies Office	316.16
Outlay	1,918.00
	<u>16,378.19</u>

ASSESSORS

Salaries	23,132.16
Printing Adv. & Binding	0.00
Misc. Services	878.34
Supplies Office	762.86
	<u>24,773.36</u>

TOWN COUNSEL

Personal Services	5,000.00
Misc. Contr. Services	5,000.00
	<u>10,000.00</u>

TOWN HALL

Salaries	4,933.89
Misc. Contr. Services	2,234.06
Postage	2,834.70
Supplies Office	2,069.39
Outlay	1,568.45
	<u>13,640.49</u>

PLANNING BOARD

Salaries	1,591.94
Misc. Services	1,111.27
Supplies Office	193.32
Outlay	0.00
Professional Services	4,802.00
Planning Consultant	5,214.18
	<u>12,912.71</u>

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Salary Chief	12,889.87
Salary Lieutenant	11,074.52
Salaries Sergeants	51,694.95
Salaries Patrolmen	168,024.92
Salaries Traffic Supervisors	16,692.00
Salary Clerk	5,380.64
Salaries Vacation	6,239.20
Salaries Sick Leave	4,548.56
Salaries Extra Help	7,617.99
Salaries Paid Holidays	9,396.76
Salaries Police Dog Officers	800.00
Repairs & Maintenance	6,123.27
Misc. Contr. Services	1,729.08
Maint. of Dogs	842.24
Clothing & Rubber Goods	4,930.00
Gasoline & Oil	5,186.30
Supplies Office	806.51
Small Tools & Equipment	808.02
Outlay	1,686.36
Cruisers	5,363.81
	<u>321,835.00</u>

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Salary Chief	12,578.85
Salaries Lieutenants	29,127.60
Salaries Privates	156,094.34
Salaries Call Fire & Ambulance	16,576.88
Salaries Vacations	11,115.44
Salaries Sick Leave	6,837.89
Salaries Paid Holidays	7,688.92
Repairs & Maintenance	4,264.89
Repairs Radios	563.10
Misc. Contractual Services	718.89
Clothing & Rubber Goods	2,716.83
Gasoline & Oil	1,709.71
Supplies Office	244.73
Small Tools & Equipment	3,198.42

FIRE DEPARTMENT (continued)

Outlay & Fire Alarm Maint.	4,138.94
Purchase 1000 GM Pumper	0.00
	<u>257,575.43</u>

CIVIL DEFENSE

Salaries	1,000.00
Misc. Contr. Services	104.04
Utilities	145.15
Transportation	80.43
Supplies Office	41.29
Small Tools & Equipment	77.68
Outlay	294.57
	<u>1,743.16</u>

CONSTABLE

Salary	100.00
	<u>100.00</u>

DOG OFFICER

Salary	1,992.00
Misc. Contr. Services	753.61
	<u>2,745.61</u>

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Salaries	13,234.24
Printing Adv. & Binding	85.50
Dues Subs. & Misc. Services	121.85
Supplies Office	424.40
	<u>13,865.99</u>

BOARD OF APPEALS

Salaries	386.00
Printing Adv. & Binding	38.00
Misc. Services	19.00
Supplies Office	40.00
Outlay	197.95
	<u>680.95</u>

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Salary	1,000.00
Small Tools & Equipment	22.70
	<u>1,022.70</u>

TOWN ENGINEER

Salary Engineer	11,177.15
Salaries Other	8,422.24
Misc. Repairs	150.16
Misc. Contr. Services	250.64
Gasoline & Oil	144.03
Supplies Office	424.67
Small Tools & Equipment	84.35
Outlay	791.00
	<u>21,444.24</u>

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Salary Superintendent	10,567.22
Salaries Other	88,081.40
Misc. Contr. Services	5,732.62
Chemicals	1,980.41
Clothing & Rubber Goods	0.00
Supplies Construction	16,093.35
Supplies Office	81.69
Small Tools & Equipment	6,230.21
Outlay	664.58
Sidewalks	748.90
Drainage	12,497.90
	<u>142,678.28</u>

CHAPTER 90 MAINTENANCE

Expenses	6,000.00
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CHAPTER 81

Salaries	15,903.76
Misc. Contr. Services	437.35
Supplies Construction	17,261.90
	<u>33,603.01</u>

CHAPTER 616

Expenses	9,919.10
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ROAD MACHINERY

Repairs & Maintenance	15,522.26
Gasoline & Oil	8,744.54
Trucks	6,992.00
1/2 Ton Pick-Up Truck	2,020.00
Grader	22,615.00
	<u>55,893.80</u>

SNOW & ICE CONTROL

Salaries	43,365.34
Repairs & Maint.	9,306.39
Misc. Contr. Services	42,174.75
Gasoline & Oil	4,060.29
Salt & Sand	27,051.12
Small Tools & Equipment	457.47
	<u>126,415.36</u>

PUBLIC STREET LIGHTS

Expenses	35,178.18
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TREE DEPARTMENT

Salaries	10,118.95
Repairs & Maint.	715.92
Misc. Contr. Services	566.34
Chemicals	2,378.58
Gasoline & Oil	1,201.07
Small Tools & Equipment	594.18
Trees	1,106.35
Outlay Fogger	2,495.00
	<u>19,176.39</u>

DUTCH ELM CONTROL

Salaries	11,994.00
Repairs & Maint.	243.01
Chemicals	1,585.33
Small Tools & Equipment	29.03
	<u>13,851.37</u>

GYPSY MOTH CONTROL

Salaries	9,000.00
Repairs & Maint.	227.40
Chemicals	1,939.89
Gasoline & Oil	0.00
Small Tools & Equipment	12.00
	<u>11,179.29</u>

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

Salaries	43,890.39
Repairs & Maint.	3,153.22
Misc. Contr. Services	1,211.85
Liners	1,030.96
Gasoline & Oil	298.53
Supplies Care of Grounds	2,206.85
Supplies Construction	3,052.15
Supplies Office	46.59
Small Tools & Equipment	236.45
Outlay Equipment	2,050.34
Soil Shredder & Screener	2,748.00
3 1/2 Ton Dump Truck	7,000.00
	<u>66,925.33</u>

WATER DEPARTMENT

Salaries	101,136.59
Repairs & Maint.	11,575.08
Misc. Contr. Services	7,142.30
Public Utilities	24,061.97
Transportation	567.63
Gasoline & Oil	4,491.88
Meters & Meter Parts	2,812.66
Pipes & Fittings	8,796.87
Supplies Construction	523.30
Supplies Office	2,669.40
Small Tools & Equipment	2,275.69
Outlay	4,249.89
	<hr/> 170,303.26

BOARD OF HEALTH

Salaries	32,407.79
Printing Adv. & Binding	38.00
Clinic Expenses	911.14
Misc. Contr. Services	990.61
Supplies Office	268.13
Outlay	80.00
Hospitalization & Medical	481.45
Garbage Collection	20,350.00
Town Dump	24,000.00
	<hr/> 79,527.12

VETERANS SERVICES

Salaries	6,207.05
Misc. Contr. Services	15.00
Supplies Office	62.39
Veterans Aid	67,563.29
	<hr/> 73,847.73

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Salaries, Sec. & Clk. (Clk. Sch. Comm.)	800.00
Salaries, Prof. (Central Office)	42,236.90
Salaries, Sec. & Cler. (Central Off.)	17,165.50
Salaries, Prof. (Subj. Spec.)	195,362.98
Salaries, Prof. (Elem. Prin.)	64,966.47
Salaries, Prof. (Jr. High Prin.)	27,196.92
Salaries, Prof. (Sr. High Prin.)	26,189.77
Salaries, Cler. & Sec. (Elem.)	20,106.83
Salaries, Cler. & Sec. (Jr. High)	8,032.14
Salaries, Cler. & Sec. (Sr. High)	12,606.01
Salaries, Prof. (Substitutes)	37,849.50
Salaries, Prof. (Elem. Teachers)	648,099.24
Salaries, Prof. (Jr. High Teachers)	425,660.39
Salaries, Prof. (Sr. High Teachers)	546,972.67
Salaries, Prof. (Elem. Guidance)	11,048.97
Salaries, Prof. (Jr. High Guidance)	29,509.69
Salaries, Prof. (Sr. High Guidance)	60,346.40
Salaries, Prof. (Sp. Class Teachers)	70,198.31
Salaries, Prof. (Supervision)	714.00
Salaries, Prof. (Instruction)	5,550.00
Salaries, Prof. (Instruction)	13,710.04
Salaries, Prof. (Sch. Nurse & Phys.)	22,238.46
Salaries, Non-Prof. (Attend. & Census)	3,600.00
Salaries, Prof. (Cafeteria Supervisor)	5,053.85
Contracted Services	25,699.14
Other Exp. (Assoc. & Publications)	2,211.81
Contracted Services	1,968.69
Supplies & Mat. (Central Off.)	2,006.34
Other Exp. (In Town Travel)	701.90
Supplies & Mat. (Music & Art)	2,983.07
Other Exp. (Travel & Prof. Lit.)	2,637.73

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT (continued)

Out of State Travel	1,352.40
Contr. Services (Rinehart)	4,000.00
Contr. Service (Test Scoring)	2,279.40
Supplies & Mat. (Elem. Stat. & Supp.)	17,323.10
Supplies & Mat. (Jr. High Stat. & Supp.)	8,815.95
Supplies & Mat. (Sr. High Stat. & Supp.)	18,188.21
Supplies & Mat. (Elem. Texts & Inst. Aid)	21,099.61
Supplies & Mat. (Jr. High Text & Ins. Aid)	12,182.54
Supplies & Mat. (Sr. High Text & Ins. Aid)	15,776.12
Supplies & Mat. (Elem. Library Texts)	4,435.08
Supplies & Mat. (Jr. High Lib. Texts)	3,024.65
Supplies & Mat. (Sr. High Lib. Texts)	2,464.11
Contr. Services (A.V. Aids)	3,945.20
Supplies & Mat. (A.V. Aids)	2,416.46
Supplies & Mat. (Sp. Class Supplies)	815.60
Contr. Ser. (Spec. Educ. Tuition)	3,448.09
Supplies & Mat. (Spec. Class Texts & Inst. Aids)	1,105.80
Contracted Services	1,894.17
N.D.E.A.	9,927.06
Supplies & Mat. (Nurses)	316.20
Contr. Services (Pupil Transp.)	95,061.80
Contr. Services (Athletic Transp.)	3,788.00
Supplies & Mat. (Phys. Educ.)	15,248.77
Contr. Services (Transp. Educ. Trips)	5,986.50
Contr. Services (Adj. Counselor -- Schooling & Contr. Assistance)	10,201.23
Elementary Utilities	18,260.81
Jr. High Utilities	12,571.23
Sr. High Utilities	10,881.51
Contr. Ser. (Elem. Maint. & Repairs)	767.25
Contr. Ser. (Jr. High Maint. & Repairs)	1,260.14
Contr. Ser. (Sr. High Maint. & Repairs)	4,322.46
Contr. Ser. (Adm. Bldg. Maint. & Repairs)	218.00
Supplies & Mat. (Capital Outlay)	9,899.24
	<hr/> 2,658,538.91

VOCATIONAL TRAINING

Tuition	7,044.02
Transportation	623.05
	<hr/> 7,667.07

SCHOOL MAINTENANCE

Salaries	264,970.20
Repairs & Maint.	11,793.90
Misc. Contr. Services	22,112.56
Gasoline & Oil	651.86
Supplies Plant	17,222.03
Small Tools & Equipment	400.00
Fuel Heating	38,630.52
Pur. Hot Water Heating System - Boutwell School	527.90
Outlay	10,728.60
Repairs to No. Inter. Sch. 1969	4,984.60
	<hr/> 372,022.17

SCHOOL GROUNDS MAINTENANCE

Repairs & Maint.	2,504.03
Gasoline & Oil	400.84
Supplies Care of Grounds	2,898.98
Small Tools & Equipment	159.66
Outlay	2,044.08
	<hr/> 8,007.59

MAINTENANCE OF TOWN BUILDINGS

Repairs & Maint.	3,267.37
Public Utilities	14,312.58
Renovation of Old Library	151.41
Outlay	1,803.70
	<u>19,535.06</u>

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Salaries	36,451.79
Dues & Subscriptions	1,344.40
Misc. Services	279.20
Temporary Quarters	536.30
Supplies Library	23,571.45
Supplies Office	4,293.40
	<u>66,476.54</u>

RECREATION

Salaries	19,373.89
Misc. Services	5,220.22
Playground & Beach Supplies	741.93
Outlay	871.73
	<u>26,207.77</u>

UNCLASSIFIED

Reserve Fund	50,000.00
Perm. Bldg. Comm. Salaries	966.25
Perm. Bldg. Comm. Expenses	0.00
Perm. Bldg. Comm. Office Supplies	0.00
Perm. Bldg. Comm. Eng. Services	13,130.00
Perm. Bldg. Comm. Contr. Services	5,333.00
Bonds & Insurance	58,018.10
Sewer Maintenance	0.00
Town Report	1,320.35
Local Transportation	7,754.98
Training & Conf. In State	2,822.45
Training & Conf. Out of State	1,930.20
Lease of Quarters	2,250.00
Blue Cross & Insurance	55,800.83
Conservation Committee	2,673.57
Memorial Day & Veterans Day	1,496.01
Unpaid Bills	3,470.76
Appraisals	5,550.79
Payment Damages Land Taking West St.	4,658.20
Payment Damages Land Taking Clark St.	1,817.20
Payment Damages Land Taking Adams St.	396.20
Payment Damages Land Taking Hanson Rd.	25.60
Payment Damages Land Taking Woodland Dr.	36.20
Payment Damages Land Taking Webber St.	96.60
Reg. Voc. Sch. Dist. Comm.	30,832.31
Negotiated 1969 Salary Increases	88,796.00
Add. Employees Public Bldgs.	10,129.54
Add. Employees Library	14,658.00
Add. Employees Cemetery	1,100.00
Add. Employees Engineering	6,066.00
Add. Employees Vet. Aid & Benefits	156.00
Add. Employees Police	12,576.86
Add. Employees Fire	13,139.06
Land for Recreation & Parks --	
Hiller-Menges	0.00
Pur. Land Conservation Purpose	22,200.00
Pur. Land for Recreation Silver Lake	0.00
Pur. Land Wilmington Grange Hall	0.00
Job. Description Pay Plan & Jov. Eval.	6,503.65
Veterans Retirement	6,503.65
By-Law Study Committee	63.75
	<u>428,175.96</u>

MATURING DEBT & INTEREST

Schools	712,423.46
General Government	81,713.62
Water	80,725.00
Int. on Antic. Notes & Auth. Fees	41,015.84
	<u>915,877.92</u>

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNTS

Purchase Land School Sites	9,150.00
Woburn Street School	0.00
Woburn Street Addition	5,995.32
Shawsheen Ave. School	1,049,066.62
Boutwell Street School	0.00
West Inter. School	0.00
Prepare Prel. Plans Elem. Sch.	0.00
Pur. by Eminent Domain Land & Bldg.	0.00
Wilmington Memorial Library	103,941.93
Pur. Land Whitefield Terr.	1,750.00
Nichols St. Land Damage	0.00
Construct Nichols St. Bridge	29,097.60
Relocate Shawsheen Ave. Bridge	0.00
Ainsworth Road	1,192.02
Construct Sewer Mains Eames St.	0.00
Sudbury Ave.	1,103.31
Lawrence St.	0.00
Royal Street	5,220.14
Develop Salem St. Well Field	14,747.75
Chestnut St. Well Field	5,704.67
Main St. Well Field & Station	1,822.56
Aldrich Road Well Site	0.00
Butters Row Well Site	2,100.00
Develop Three Well Sites	70,855.18
Ferguson Road	0.00
Jere Road	959.20
Elwood Road	3,150.42
Town Beach Improvement	268.92
Repairs Roof North Inter. School	0.00
Repairs Interior No. Inter. School	11,145.96
Pur. Land & Prepare Plans New Inter. Sch.	0.00
4 Tennis Courts No. Inter. School	905.49
4 Tennis Courts Boutwell St. School	657.51
Construct 60 ft. Add. High. Garage and	
Replace Heat. System for Entire Bldg.	2,504.92
Pur. Land for Beach & Recreation Pur-	
poses (Baby Beach)	7,057.00
Reconstruction of Ballardvale St.	24,998.98
	<u>I,353,395.50</u>

TRUST FUND ACCOUNTS - YEAR ENDING 12/31/69

	<u>Original Deposits</u>	<u>Balance 1/1/69</u>	<u>Trust Added 1969</u>	<u>Interest Received 1969</u>	<u>Withdrawn 1969</u>	<u>Balances 12/31/69</u>	<u>Accrued Interest</u>
<u>Cemetery Trust Funds</u>							
Andover Savings Bank	2,175.00	2,382.27		140.19	207.27	2,315.19	140.19
Reading Co-operative Bank	2,275.00	2,366.44	300.00	147.60	91.44	2,722.60	147.60
Reading Savings Bank	20,400.00	22,766.59		1,126.85	2,366.59	21,526.85	1,126.85
<u>S. D. J. Carter Lecture Fund</u>							
Reading Savings Bank	4,578.50	5,399.15		273.63	641.00	5,031.78	453.28
Woburn Five Cent Savings Bank	2,000.00	2,195.37		111.83		2,307.20	307.20
<u>Burnap Library Fund</u>							
Andover Savings Bank	200.00	240.07		14.87		254.44	54.94
<u>Benjamin Buck Library Fund</u>							
Andover Savings Bank	500.00	600.23		37.24		637.47	137.47
<u>Charlotte C. Smith Library Fund</u>							
Reading Savings Bank	500.00	613.21		32.00		645.21	145.21
<u>Sears Cook Walker - Walker School Library Fund</u>							
Reading Savings Bank	257.00	422.60		19.87		442.47	185.47
<u>Chester M. Clark Library Fund</u>							
Reading Savings Bank	500.00	620.40		32.40		652.80	152.80
<u>Sabra Carter Common Fund</u>							
Andover Savings Bank	200.00	222.49		7.46		236.28	36.28
<u>East Wilmington Improvement Association Library Fund</u>							
Reading Savings Bank	3,820.00	4,628.90		241.80		4,870.70	1,050.70
	<u>37,405.50</u>	<u>42,457.72</u>	<u>300.00</u>	<u>2,185.74</u>	<u>3,306.30</u>	<u>41,643.49</u>	<u>3,937.99</u>

TOWN OF WILMINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
SUMMARY OF ACTUAL EXPENDITURES BY BUDGET CLASS  
YEAR ENDING 12/31/69

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION	Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1969	Balances as of 12/31/69	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1969	Bal. Avail. For Expend. 1970
General Government								
Selectmen, Legislative								
Salaries	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,432.50	67.50		67.50	
Expenses	3,500.00		3,500.00	3,407.42	92.58		92.58	
Selectmen, Elections								
Salaries	2,900.00		2,900.00	1,722.45	1,177.55		1,177.55	
Expenses	650.00		650.00	162.99	487.01		487.01	
Registrar of Voters								
Salaries	3,500.00		3,500.00	3,164.59	335.41		335.41	
Expenses	3,365.00		3,365.00	3,189.21	175.79		175.79	
Finance Committee								
Expenses	2,125.00	B 1,000.00	3,125.00	2,968.90	156.10		156.10	
Town Manager								
Salaries	20,136.00	B 1,868.00	22,004.00	21,993.56	10.44		10.44	
Expenses	600.00		600.00	588.24	11.76		11.76	
Industrial Promotion	800.00		800.00	175.90	624.10		624.10	
Town Accountant								
Salaries	15,762.00	B 1,166.00	16,928.00	16,921.57	6.43		6.43	
Expenses	390.00	B 350.00	740.00	711.75	28.25		28.25	
Treasurer								
Salaries	13,667.00	B 1,023.00	14,690.00	14,683.42	6.58		6.58	
Expenses	1,410.00	B 1,492.00	3,062.00	2,383.99	678.01	160.00	518.01	
Expenses	8,000.00	A 1,768.18	9,800.90	8,759.96	1,041.14	1,041.14		
Tax Title Foreclosures		E 32.72						
Collector								
Salaries	11,617.00	B 1,171.00	12,788.00	12,753.30	34.70		34.70	
Expenses	1,310.00	E 2.00	1,312.00	1,159.29	152.71	103.00	49.71	
Town Clerk								
Salaries	12,756.00	B 1,334.00	14,090.00	14,087.03	2.97		2.97	
Expenses	430.00		430.00	373.16	56.84		56.84	
Outlay	2,300.00		2,300.00	1,918.00	382.00		382.00	
Board of Assessors								
Salaries	21,463.00	B 1,673.00	23,136.00	23,132.16	3.84		3.84	
Expenses	2,675.00		2,675.00	1,641.20	1,033.80		1,033.80	
Town Counsel								
Retainer	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00				
Expenses (Court Appearances)	5,000.00		5,000.00	5,000.00				
Town Hall								
Salaries	4,981.00	B 43.00	5,024.00	4,933.89	90.11		90.11	
Expenses	7,200.00	B 33.31	7,233.31	7,138.15	95.16		95.16	
Outlay	1,650.00		1,650.00	1,568.45	81.55		81.55	
Planning Board								
Salaries	1,250.00	B 500.00	1,750.00	1,591.94	158.06		158.06	
Expenses	300.00		300.00	193.32	106.68		106.68	
Outlay	300.00		300.00		300.00	286.40	13.60	
Misc. Contractual Services	1,200.00	A 5,945.00	7,145.00	6,325.45	819.55		819.55	
Professional Services	8,000.00	A 75.00	8,075.00	4,802.00	3,273.00	3,273.00		
	165,737.00	19,636.21	185,373.21	173,883.59	11,489.62	4,863.54	6,626.08	

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION										Bal. Avail.	
Protection of Persons & Property										For Expend.	
Police Department										1970	
Salaries: Chief										Bal. to	
										Revenue	
										1969	
										En-	
										cumberances	
										Balances	
										as of	
										12/31/69	
										Expended	
										during	
										1969	
										Amounts	
										Avail. for	
										Expenditures	
										Prior Bal.	
										Transfers	
										& Other	
										Annual Town	
										Meeting	
										Appropriation	
										B	
										12,041.00	
										12,895.00	
										11,080.00	
										51,696.00	
										174,429.00	
										16,692.00	
										5,384.00	
										7,000.00	
										800.00	
										10,000.00	
										5,000.00	
										9,396.76	
										20,730.00	
										2,110.00	
										5,350.00	
										100.00	
										11,829.00	
										26,630.00	
										131,243.00	
										13,500.00	
										10,000.00	
										5,000.00	
										6,500.00	
										11,400.00	
										4,300.00	
										35,000.00	
										500.00	
										500.00	
										300.00	
										2,000.00	
										900.00	
										12,406.00	
										705.00	
										400.00	
										100.00	
										200.00	
										1,000.00	
										200.00	
										564,303.00	
										82,114.05	
										646,417.05	
										177.30	
										46,848.21	
										40,444.43	
										12,921.15	
										- 6,517.37	

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION									
	Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1969	Balances as of 12/31/69	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1969	Bal. Avail. For Expend. 1970	
Town Engineer									
Salary, Town Engineer	10,806.00	B 579.00	11,385.00	11,177.15	207.85		207.85		
Salaries, Other	3,000.00	B 6,066.00	9,066.00	8,422.24	643.76		643.76		
Expenses	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,053.85	446.15	46.46	399.69		
Outlay	1,650.00		1,650.00	791.00	859.00	713.07	145.93		
Highway									
Salary, Superintendent	9,665.00	B 907.00	10,572.00	10,567.22	4.78		4.78		
Salaries, Other	79,314.00	B 10,222.00	89,536.00	88,081.40	1,454.60		1,454.60		
Expenses	28,300.00	A 1,550.00							
		E 294.35	30,144.35	30,118.28	26.07		26.07		
Outlay	3,160.00		3,160.00	664.58	2,495.42	2,495.42			
Sidewalk Program	25,000.00		25,000.00	748.90	24,251.10	24,251.10			
Drainage	12,500.00		12,500.00	12,497.90	2.10		2.10		
Public Street Lights	37,000.00		37,000.00	35,178.18	1,821.82	1,296.66	525.16		
Road Machinery									
Expenses	21,500.00	B 2,763.52	24,263.52	24,266.80	15.18		15.18		
Capital Outlay - Vehicles	32,115.00	E 18.46	32,115.00	31,627.00	488.00		488.00		
Chapter 90 Construction 1966		A 14,578.36	14,578.36		14,578.36			14,578.36	
1967		A 34,200.00	34,200.00		34,200.00			34,200.00	
1968		A 9,000.00	9,000.00		9,000.00			9,000.00	
1969			9,450.00	6,000.00	9,450.00			9,450.00	
Chapter 90 Maintenance	2,000.00	C 4,000.00	6,000.00						
Chapter 81 Maintenance									
Salaries	4,000.00								
Expenses	9,000.00	C 20,625.00	33,625.00	33,603.01	21.99		21.99		
Snow & Ice Control									
Salaries	49,000.00		49,000.00	43,365.34	5,634.66		5,634.66		
Expenses	83,000.00	B 85.10	83,085.10	83,050.02	35.08		35.08		
Chapter 616 Project-Shawsheen Ave.		B 9,919.10	9,919.10	9,919.10					
Tree Warden									
Salaries	9,000.00	B 1,181.00	10,181.00	10,118.95	62.05		62.05		
Expenses and Outlay (Fogger)	6,550.00	B 2,515.00	9,065.00	9,057.44	7.56		7.56		
Dutch Elm									
Salaries	11,994.00		11,994.00	11,994.00					
Expenses	1,900.00		1,900.00	1,857.37	42.63		42.63		
Gypsy Moth Control									
Salaries	9,000.00		9,000.00	9,000.00					
Expenses	2,180.00		2,180.00	2,179.29	.71		.71		
Cemetery & Parks Department									
Salaries	45,246.00	B 3,745.00	48,991.00	43,890.39	5,100.61		5,100.61		
Expenses	9,340.00	B 6,060.00	15,400.00	11,236.60	4,163.40	3,000.00	1,163.40		
Capital Outlay	3,414.70	B 2,665.30	12,080.00	11,798.34	281.66		281.66		
	526,584.70	130,974.19	657,558.89	542,264.35	115,294.54	31,802.71	16,263.47	67,228.36	

## TITLE OF APPROPRIATION

## Health and Sanitation

## Board of Health

Salaries 30,398.00 B 2,047.00 32,445.00 32,407.79 37.21 37.21  
 Expenses 2,935.00 2,935.00 2,207.88 727.12 727.12  
 Outlay 95.00 95.00 80.00 15.00 15.00  
 Hospital & Medical Care 5,000.00 5,000.00 481.45 4,518.55 4,518.55  
 Garbage Collection 20,350.00 20,350.00 24,000.00  
 Town Dump 24,000.00 24,000.00

82,778.00 2,047.00 84,825.00 79,527.12 5,297.88 5,297.88

## Charities and Veterans Aid

## Veterans Aid &amp; Benefits

Salaries 6,041.00 B 199.00 6,240.00 6,207.05 32.95 32.95  
 Expenses 170.00 170.00 77.39 92.61 92.61  
 Assistance 75,000.00 E 56.20 75,056.20 67,563.29 7,492.91 7,492.91

81,211.00 255.20 81,466.20 73,847.73 7,618.47 7,618.47

## Schools and Libraries

## School Department

Salaries 2,294,489.00 E 726.04 2,295,215.04 2,295,215.04  
 Expenses 363,192.00 E 243.27 363,435.27 363,323.87 111.40  
 Vocational Training 10,000.00 10,000.00 7,667.07 2,332.93 2,332.93  
 Regional Vocational Sch. Dist. 30,832.00 B .31 30,832.31 30,832.31  
 School Maintenance & Operation 241,414.00 B 28,801.04 270,215.04 264,970.20 5,244.84 5,244.84

51,200.00 B 995.70 52,195.70 52,180.35 61.57 61.57

## Fuel Heating

## Capital Outlay

Repair to No. Inter. School 38,000.00 E 46.22 38,715.26 38,630.52 84.74 84.74  
 School Grounds Maintenance 10,945.00 A 3,543.60 14,488.60 10,728.60 3,760.00 3,760.00  
 Expenses 11,145.96 B 11,145.96 4,984.60 6,161.36 6,161.36

6,000.00 6,000.00 5,963.51 36.49 36.49

## Capital Outlay

## Town Buildings Maintenance

Expenses 4,253.00 4,253.00 2,044.08 2,208.92 108.92 108.92

16,000.00 A 418.69 16,418.69

## Capital Outlay

## Renovate Old Library Building

## Library

Salaries 21,717.00 B 17,375.00 39,092.00 36,451.79 2,640.21 2,640.21  
 Expenses 26,381.25 B 3,118.75 30,500.00 30,024.75 480.69 480.69

85,385.53 3,203,808.78 3,162,551.75 41,257.03 30,082.95 30,082.95

3,118,423.25 85,385.53 3,203,808.78 3,162,551.75 41,257.03 30,082.95

2,640.21 463.99 11,174.08

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION									
Recreation and Unclassified									
	Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1969	Balances as of 12/31/69	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1969	Bal. Avail. For Expend. 1970	
Recreation Department									
Salaries	21,745.00		21,745.00	19,373.89	2,371.11		2,371.11		
Expenses	6,400.00	E 211.73	6,611.73	5,962.15	649.58	24.00	625.58		
Capital Outlay	925.00		925.00	871.73	53.27		53.27		
Permanent Building Committee									
Salaries	1,500.00		1,500.00	966.25	533.75		533.75		
Office Supplies	250.00		250.00		250.00		250.00		
Expenses	250.00		250.00		250.00		250.00		
Contractual Services	3,000.00	A 13,442.50							
Conservation Commission	2,970.00	B 9,000.00	25,442.50	18,463.00	6,979.50	6,667.00	312.50		
Insurance and Bonds	57,518.00	B 400.00	2,970.00	2,673.57	296.43		296.43		
Reserve Fund	50,000.00	E 100.10	58,018.10	58,018.10					
Blue Cross/Blue Shield & Group Life	45,000.00	B 6,038.71	50,000.00	50,000.00					
Local Transportation	9,325.00	E 6,953.89	57,992.60	55,800.83	2,191.77	2,191.77			
Town Report	2,000.00		9,325.00	7,754.98	1,570.02		1,570.02		
Sewer Maintenance	1,000.00		2,000.00	1,320.35	679.65		679.65		
Appraisals	10,000.00	A 10,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00		1,000.00		
Training & Conference - In State	3,565.00	E 18.00	20,000.00	5,550.79	14,449.21	14,449.21			
- Out of State	800.00	B 860.00	3,583.00	2,822.45	760.55		760.55		
Unpaid Bills	3,530.64	E 299.20	1,959.20	1,930.20	29.00		29.00		
Veterans Retirement	10,000.00		3,530.64	3,470.76	59.88		59.88		
Negotiated 1969 Salary Increases	90,000.00		10,000.00	6,503.65	3,496.35		3,496.35		
Additional Employees by Department			90,000.00	88,796.00	1,204.00		1,204.00		
Public Buildings	18,638.00		18,638.00	10,129.54	8,508.46		8,508.46		
Library	14,658.00		14,658.00	14,658.00					
Cemetery	1,100.00		1,100.00	1,100.00					
Engineering	6,066.00		6,066.00	6,066.00					
Veterans Aid & Benefits	156.00		156.00	156.00					
Police	16,370.00		16,370.00	12,576.86	3,793.14		3,793.14		
Fire	19,249.00		19,249.00	13,139.06	6,109.94		6,109.94		
Lease of Quarters	2,250.00		2,250.00	2,250.00					
Memorial Day & Veterans Day	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,496.01	3.99		3.99		
Payment of Damages Land Takings									
West Street	4,800.00		4,800.00	4,658.20	141.80		141.80		
Clark Street	2,100.00		2,100.00	1,817.20	282.80		282.80		
Adams Street	400.00		400.00	396.20	3.80		3.80		
Hanson Road	100.00		100.00	25.60	74.40		74.40		
Woodland Drive	100.00		100.00	36.20	63.80		63.80		
Webber Street	100.00		100.00	96.60	3.40		3.40		

TITLE OF APPROPRIATION							
Recreation & Unclassified (continued)							
Annual Town Meeting Appropriation	Prior Bal. Transfers & Other	Amounts Avail. for Expenditures	Expended during 1969	Balances 12/31/69	Encumbrances	Bal. to Revenue 1969	Bal. Avail. For Expend. 1970
Land for Recreation & Parks		4,000.00		4,000.00			4,000.00
Purchase Land Conservation Purposes		11,100.00		11,100.00			
Pur. Land for Recreation-Silver Lake	B 19,259.77	32,000.00		32,000.00			32,000.00
Pur. Land-Wilmington Grange Hall		10,000.00		10,000.00			10,000.00
Job Descrip. Pay Plan & Job Evaluation	A 2,410.00	2,410.00	2,407.50	2.50		2.50	
By-Law Study Committee	B 300.00	300.00	63.75	236.25		236.25	
Pur. by Eminent Domain Land & Bldg.	A 100.00	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Purchase Land-Whitefield Terrace	A 1,750.00	1,750.00	1,750.00				
Nichols Street Land Damages	A 1,775.00	1,775.00		1,775.00			1,775.00
Recolate Shawshen Avenue Bridge		3,000.00		3,000.00			3,000.00
Construct Sewer Main-Eames Street		5,000.00		5,000.00			5,000.00
Town Beach Improvement	A 1,407.57	1,407.57	268.92	1,138.65	17.95		1,120.70
Repairs-Roof No. Inter. School	A 2,769.06	2,769.06		2,769.06			2,769.06
Pur. Land & Prepare Plans Inter. Sch.	A 1,810.00	1,810.00		1,810.00			1,810.00
Four Tennis Courts-North Inter School	A 905.49	905.49	905.49				
-Boutwell St. School	A 657.51	657.51	657.51				
Construct 60 ft. Add. Highway Garage and Replace Heating System	A 12,499.60	12,499.60	2,504.92	9,994.68			9,994.68
Purchase Land for Beach & Recreation Pur.	A 6,500.00						
Baby Beach	B 557.00	7,057.00	7,057.00				
Construct Nichols Street Bridge	A 2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00				
Purchase Hot Water Heating System							
Boutwell Street School	A 2,051.82	2,051.82	527.90	1,523.92			1,523.92
Revised Plans-Shawshen Ave. School	A 4,000.00	4,000.00		4,000.00			4,000.00
Aldrich Road Well Site	A 50.00	50.00		50.00			50.00
	453,205.87	108,126.95	428,123.16	133,209.66	23,586.18	32,580.12	77,043.36
Maturing Debt and Interest							
Schools	B 311,669.19	712,537.19	712,423.46	113.73		113.73	
General Government	B 884.12	81,714.12	81,713.62	.50		.50	
Water Department	B 80,725.00	80,725.00	80,725.00				
Interest on Anticipation Notes and Authentication Fees	B 16,015.84	41,015.84	41,015.84				
	506,698.00	409,294.15	915,877.92	114.23		114.23	
	5,498,940.82	837,833.28	6,336,774.10	5,975,644.46	130,779.81	92,595.48	137,754.35
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## POLICE

Numbers

658-3331 - 658-3332

935-5966

## FIRE

AMBULANCE

Numbers

658-3200 or 658-3346

## TOWN HALL

Numbers

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